WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer remains low over Northern British Columbia, and mild weather extends from the Coast to Manitoba.

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AGREEMENT PROVIDES FOR "DAMMING NIAGARA"

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Premier, as Minister of Railways, Confirms Report of Interest Shown by American Capitalists

LITTLE YET KNOWN OF PLAN

Report Connects Recent Visit of Chicago and Seattle Interests With Tentative Negotiation

MAN offer has been made and the directors are now considering it, from various angles, said Premier Tolmie last evening in referring to a report that American capital has become attracted to the Pacific Great Eastern Railway line, and was seeking to open negotiations for acquiring the road.

Further than this, the Premier, as Minister of Railways, and the president of the P.G.E. board of directors, did not care to go.

The report is that a delegation representing United States capitalists, including Chicago and Seattle interests, have been in communication with the Government during the past few days, and have submitted a tentative offer for the line. Just exactly what form the offer has taken is not known, but it is said to have been of a more or less substantial character.

Two of the directors of the railway were over from Vancouver yesterday, Mr. W. J. Blake Wilson and Mr. Chris Spencer. It is presumed that their presence was in connection with the proposal from the American capitalists.

Asks Parliament To Give Grants To Big Families

OTTAWA, Feb. 26.—In a few years' time Canada will look overseas in vain for surplus man power to develop her resources, declared Father Leon Lebel, instructor in Philosophy at the College of the Immaculate Conception, Montreal, when he addressed the House of Commons special standing committee on industrial and international relations today called as an expert to express his views regarding the feasibility of adopting a system of family allowances in Canada. Father Lebel presented data which showed the danger of serious decreases in the birth rate of the white race because if present-day industrial conditions. "There was a exceptional situation in Canada, said Father Lebel, where in under-populated territory maintained an emigration proportionately greater than that of any other nation. If Canada could depend upon a natural growth of population a higher birth rate than that which she enjoyed at present, her action would be more secure.

From the Colonist Tower

Wednesday, Feb. 27

58th Day, 1929

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity: Moderate to fresh southerly winds, cloudy and mild, with rain.

Sun Rises: 6:59 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 5:53 o'clock.

High Tide: 7:02 a.m., 8.7 feet.
Low Tide: 12:02 p.m., 4.1 feet.

Sports

Edmonds and Cubs down to ninth in Mainline defeat.

Jack Blakeley rules slight favorite in race over Birdsland tomorrow at Miami.

Canadiens and Rangers win in NHL to retain leadership of sections. Detroit and Bruins also register victories.

Frank Patrick offers to buy Beaver Bruins.

Colonist readers will get all angles of fight from Dempsey with large and exclusive pictures, stories and wire by Thornhill and other writers to cover fight.

The News

Coal and Provincials—

Ratepayers to vote on Technical School by ballot next Saturday.

Teachers will contribute to proposed superannuation scheme.

Northeast corner of Broughton and Broad Streets changes hands.

Vancouver Island power project will safeguard Elk Falls.

Premier says American capital has made bid for P.G.E.

B.C.E.R. suggests increase in Vancouver-Point Grey fare.

Premier, Imperial and Foreign—

Rice foods are decreasing.

Mr. A. W. Neill raises important question in Parliament.

Acquires Block in Downtown Area

MR. C. L. H. BRANSON

Whose firm has purchased the former Walter furniture warehouse and warehouse for remodelling.

MINISTERS WANTED AS WITNESSES

Proceedings Before Manitoba Inquiry Commission Delayed by Absence of Cabinet Members

HOUSE MAJORITY REDUCED TO FOUR

WINNIPEG, Feb. 26.—Demands that Lieutenant-Colonel P. O. Taylor, K.C., come before the royal commission investigating his charges against the Bracken Government, and tell where he obtained the information on which his statements were based were made today by Isaac Pitblado, K.C., counsel for the Bracken Government in the Beveridge Estate inquiry. The request that the Conservative party leader appear as a witness followed refusal by the commission of an audit into the books of the Winnipeg Electric Company requested by counsel for Colonel Taylor.

"The time is not here for an audit," stated Commissioner A. E. Dysart, in answer to the request by Hugh Phillips, K.C., for a complete investigation.

WITNESSES ABSENT

The request was entered when W. E. Blodgett, of the Winnipeg Electric Company, Hon. W. J. Taylor and W. C. McKinnell, of the Bracken Government, based as next witnesses by counsel for Colonel Taylor, were unable to be on hand.

Examination of Allan B. Bond, manager of the National Trust Company, and a handler of the Bracken campaign fund, disclosed that the total city fund had amounted to between $12,000 and $13,000. Mr Bond testified that he had no knowledge in particular of the three $1,000 contributions handed in by J. B. Coyne, K.C.

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B.C.E.R. WANTS TO RAISE FARE

PRESIDENT SUGGESTS 7-CENT STREET CAR FARE IN VANCOUVER

Aldermen Told That Extension of Lines Cannot Otherwise Be Recommended by Him

VANCOUVER, Feb. 26.—A seven-cent street car fare, three tickets for twenty-five cents, in place of the present six-cent fare with six tickets for 25 cents, was suggested to the council by the city and the company this afternoon. Stating that the return on the company's invested capital in Vancouver was only 2.31 per cent in 1928, Mr Murvin told the aldermen that he could not recommend to his directors any capital expenditure for extension of street car lines unless there was an increase in revenue.

He said that the return on invested capital of the company has declined steadily from 4.37 per cent in 1925 to 3.21 per cent last year, on a capital in 1928 of $10,116,000.

FERRY PLAN REGARDED AS FINE ASSET

Sidney Board of Trade Dinner Gives Occasion for Congratulation on Proposed New Service

FIFTY GUESTS ATTEND FUNCTION

Necessity of Better Connection With Salt Spring Island Is Also Emphasized

WITH a strategic position both for trade and industry, rich in resources, generously endowed with potentialities both abstract and concrete, Vancouver Island's future, speakers at the seventh annual dinner of the Sidney Board of Trade last night were agreed, is entirely up to the citizenry.

The addresses touched on many points relating to the Island's prosperity. Among the most frequently referred to achievements tending to improve conditions was the carrying through of the Steveston-Sidney ferry project. This it was unanimously conceded, would do great things for the Island, particularly for Sidney, Saanich and Victoria, by bringing closer and quicker connection with the Mainland. In a survey of developments, the most frequently touched on dealt with highways and extension of ferry systems to include the Salt Spring and other adjacent islands. Although the chairman, Mr. A. McLean, stressed the possibilities of loganberry and other small fruits, and sheep-raising, Co-operation in securing water and electric light should place Saanich much more centrally on the map.

The dinner, which took place at "Shorecaves," Sidney, was attended by about fifty guests, with seventeen of eighteen speakers: Colonel "Cy" Peck, M.P., Philip, minister of public works; Mr. G. A. Cochran, Mr. C. L. Harrison, Mr. Sparling, Mr. O. I. Warren, Mr. J. E. McNeil, Rev. Bishop Roper, Mr. R. N. MacAulay, Mr. George Hutchinson, Mr. T. Rigg, Mr. G. H. Walton, Mr. A. Williamson, Mr. H. J. McIntyre, Mr. A. W. Hollands and Mr. C. H. O'Halloran.

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BY-LAW POLL TO BE HELD ON THURSDAY

City Ratepayers Will Record Decision on Proposal to Build Technical School in Victoria

REFERENDUM WAS TWICE DEFEATED

Victoria ratepayers will go to the polls tomorrow and decide by their votes whether a technical school will be built in this community.

This will be the third vote on the technical school project, the measure having been defeated on both past occasions when it was submitted at the polls. The last time a vote on the technical school question was taken was at the civic election on December 13, 1926.

The ratepayers tomorrow will express their opinion on a proposed school of the by-law authorizing the construction of technical school buildings, complete with heating and ventilating equipment, plumbing and electrical fittings, consisting of one block to be erected this year, or more, with assembly room and gymnasium, and provision for the four brick annexes for shop work and, if necessary, the raising of the

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Newsprint Price Is Stated to Be Fixed at $55.20

MONTREAL, Feb. 26.—Settlement of the newsprint question has been reached through conferences in New York according to a special dispatch appearing in The Montreal Star today.

The newspaper says:

"Settlement of the long pending newsprint crisis was achieved here today with the signing of an agreement between the producers to sell at a price of $55.20 a ton, and to restrict output of mills on a 75 per cent basis."

Notable Members To Attend Conference Here

COL. G. O. Fallis and C. W. Rowley, of Vancouver, were recently in Toronto to invite delegates to attend the fourth national conference on education to be held in Vancouver and Victoria in April, and attended by delegates from many countries of both hemispheres. Among those selected to represent the interest in the convention are (1) William John Bulman, member of council; (2) Col. Harry Cockshutt, council member; (3) Dr. M. Trivell, Toronto council member; (4) C. W. Rowley, Vancouver; (5) E. W. Beatty, council member for Montreal, and (6) Col. G. O. Fallis, Vancouver.

Vancouver Island Power Project Would Save Elk Falls From Destruction

SHOULD the Vancouver Island Power Company secure the water records on Campbell River and the adjacent lakes, Upper and Lower Campbell, and Buttle Lake for power development, plans are in hand to prevent the destruction of the scenic attractions of Elk Falls.

The cascade which is regarded as the finest waterfall on Vancouver Island accessible to the traveler, would not be actually affected, it is understood, as the water for power purposes would be taken from Moose and Deer Pools above the famous cataract, and be carried round in a canal to the proposed power-house site. This site is suggested to be placed one mile west of the new highway bridge at Campbell River, giving a drop of about 900 feet. In the water channel from the river to the powerhouse This would miss the popular cascade and leave enough water to preserve its remarkable charm. Engineers who have just returned from there report that the recent ice conditions have turned the falls into a fairyland of frozen spray.

The preservation of these falls will probably have considerable support when the formal applications of conflicting power interests are argued before the water board. Since the engineers of the Vancouver Island Power Company came away, other engineers have gone on the ground on behalf of their principals.

In connection with the storage dams for the three lakes named, those who know the Lower Campbell lake will not be surprised to observe that the company proposes to go some distance downstream, erecting the Lodore Falls site for the storage diversion point. In regard to Upper Campbell and Buttle Lakes, the storage places would be as close to the outfall as physical conditions will permit.

Tornado Souvenir Seekers Obliged To Aid in Relief

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 26.—The village of Duncan, Miss., devastated yesterday by a tornado that took the lives of seventeen of the 400 inhabitants, became a mecca for sightseers and souvenir hunters today.

While rescue workers were searching for victims of the storm that left twenty-eight dead and scores injured in its wake in Mississippi, Arkansas and Texas, crowds flocked to Duncan seeking souvenirs in the form of wreckage and emaphisia. Several hundred negroes that engaged were conscripted for relief work.

Weather disturbances in the South continued today. At Troy Alabama, Emmet Slaughter, nineteen, was killed and Mrs. Sam Reese was injured when struck by lightning during an electrical storm late today.

Election Is Surprise to Chicago City

CHICAGO, Feb. 26.—An election was held today and the most serious disorders reported were arguments among poll officials.

Fifty aldermanic jobs were at stake in the contest, which attracted a light vote and stirred up no fights, kidnappings, stuggings or killings.

The board of election commissioners estimated that less than a 50 per cent vote was registered, a disturbing fact in the early morning discussing many who were unable to cast their ballots reported in the day because of the 6 o'clock closing of the polls.

OHIO STREAMS FLOOD CITIES

THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE ARE DRIVEN FROM HOMES, BUT NO LIVES LOST

Newbomb Steam Countryside to Take Residents From Houses—Water Is Receding

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Feb. 26.—Cold weather tonight was expected to check the ravages of rain-swelled rivers and streams that flooded several sections of the state today, driving thousands from their homes, imperiling the lives of many and causing considerable damage everywhere.

Scores of persons were rescued from precarious places where the flood had driven them. No loss of life was reported. Although the total damage was believed to be very great, no estimate was available tonight.

The thrawing streams augmented by rainfall and melting snow overflowed their banks and sent their roaring waters into a dozen cities and towns. Highways were flooded and many farms inundated.

Springfield was hardest hit. The waters of Buck Creek and Mad River stripped all of the city's industries, flooded the business section and paralyzed transportation.

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Sir James Aikens Better

WINNIPEG, Feb. 26.—Sir James Aikens, former Lieutenant-Governor of Manitoba, who suffered a slight heart attack last night, was much improved today. His doctors have ordered "a complete rest."

COMMONS DISCUSSES NIAGARA FALLS PACT

Cataract, Which Formerly Exemplified Uncontrollable Might of Nature's Forces, Is to Be Put in Leading Strings—Power Companies to Pay Cost of Works Necessary

River Will Be Directed to Run in Attractive Manner

OTTAWA, Feb. 26.—The debate on the treaty between Canada and the United States, under which remedial works would be constructed at Niagara Falls, occupied a considerable portion of the afternoon in the House. Hon. R. B. Bennett was absent. Premier King consented to adjournment.

Chief opposition to the details of the remedial work as well as to the conduct of the negotiations for the treaty, came from Hon. J. J. D. Chaplain, Conservative, Lincoln, who presented the views of the Niagara Falls Park Commission. He contended that the commission had had been consulted by the international board, although it could have given suggestions, which would have improved the plans. The treaty was supported by Hon. Charles Stewart, Minister of the Interior, who went at some length into the proposed works, which he said would save the beauties of the falls from erosion and at the same time enable the power companies on both sides of the river to draw off more water. The power companies bear the cost of the work.

It was, said Premier King, the endeavor of both Governments to preserve the scenic qualities of the Niagara River and the Horseshoe Falls. Remedial works at a capitalized cost of $1,790,000 had been suggested in consultation with the protection and development and beauty of the falls, he said.

MR. A. W. NEILL CHECKS MOVE FOR SECRECY

Member for Alberni Fights Proposal to Enact Private Bills Without Discussion in House

PUBLICITY HELD TO BE SAFEGUARD

OTTAWA, Feb. 26.—Discussion was precipitated in the House of Commons on the report of the committee on standing orders presented to the House by L. S. Merrin, Liberal, St. Henri-Ste. Bertile. The report was in two parts. The first part recommended that in order to expedite the business of this House, some of its estimates should be referred to a special or standing committee, while the second part would provide for amendments to the rules of the House, to the effect that when a bill receives its second reading and has been examined by a committee of the whole at two sittings of the House, the bill will be reported and will receive third reading without debate or amendment. The latter amendment would prevent private bills being tabled out in the House

MR. NEILL PROTESTS

A. W. Neill, Independent, Comox-Alberni, declared that the purpose of the recommendations was to divest Parliament of a certain portion of its responsibilities and hand them over to other bodies. Committees functioned in a manner that prevented the valuable light of publicity being thrown upon their deliberations.

In connection with the estimates there was danger of log rolling. A member on one side of the House might agree not to vote against certain estimates because his own were promised favorable treatment.

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MR. CHURCHILL ON DEFENSIVE

CHANCELLOR OF EXCHEQUER DISPLAYS SKILL IN DODGING QUESTIONS

Labertine Attempt to Corner Him on Government's Concession to Irish Loyalists

LONDON, Feb. 26.—Labor members of the House of Commons were in an inquisitive mood today and tried their hands at baiting Mr. Winston Churchill, Chancellor of the Exchequer. There had been the usual run of questions, when suddenly the opportunity came to revive the memory of the dark bench recent of last week over the Irish loyalists' compensation question.

On that occasion Mr. Churchill opposed making further payments to the loyalists, and in the course of the debate it was evident that the Government faced defeat at the hands of its own followers, who insisted the loyalist claims should be paid. Mr. Baldwin, on being called to the House, said that the Government would reconsider the question, and a day or two later it

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TO ERECT MEMORIAL TO SIR ADAM BECK

TORONTO, Feb. 26.—The Toronto City Council has authorized the board of control to call for designs for a memorial to Sir Adam Beck, to cost $20,000. His main feature is to be a bronze statue of Sir Adam.

The monument will be erected on University Avenue here.

TEACHERS WILL CONTRIBUTE TO PROPOSED PLAN

Superannuation Proposal Is Based on Equal Apportionment Between the Province and the Teacher

DETAILS PLACED BEFORE HOUSE

In the Legislature yesterday afternoon Hon. J. Fletcher, Minister of Education, introduced a bill to provide for the creation and the payment of pensions to teachers. Under the bill provision is made for paying into the fund for the purposes of superannuation of 6 per cent of the salary of the teacher, which shall be supplemented by a like amount paid by the Province

RESERVE FUND

In order, however, to bring about the creation of a reserve fund which is to take care of the teachers who are now being paid a superannuation allowance, and those who will very shortly come under this pension, it is provided that a special reserve shall be created.

This is being done with the concession of the teachers themselves. Almost at once there will be some $100,000 deposited in this fund, which in the next year or two, with new teachers coming into the ranks, will be brought up to $300,000.

The Province will come to the aid of this reserve by setting aside for ten years $20,000 a year additional.

In setting up the reserve fund the teachers will contribute 4 per cent of their salaries for five months—or half the teaching year. While new teachers who will be employed in the future will become contributors and beneficiaries start off with contributions covering the first year of employment. These contributions, it is pointed out by the department, are in reality direct gifts on the part of the teachers towards the establ-

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Marshal Foch Is Said to Be Nearing Death

PARIS, Feb. 26.—Marshal Ferdinand Foch tonight was said to be slowly sinking from an illness winding heart and kidney complications. The old warrior who, on a democratic day in 1914 reported "My right is crushed, my left is in retreat, I am attacking with my centre," is at last apparently on the defence on all fronts with little hope of another victory.

His five physicians will consult again tomorrow afternoon. Two of them regard the case as virtually hopeless.

Weather Prevents King's Enjoyment Of Seaside Stay

BOGNOR Sussex, Eng., Feb. 26.—Snow, wind and mist conspired to prevent the King from enjoying the invigorating sea air through open windows today. The King, however, sat up and read newspapers for a while. It was announced that this evening that the King had passed a good day.

PROPERTY SALE SHOWS ADVANCE IN SITE VALUE

Northeast Corner of Broughton and Broad Streets, With Building, Is Transferred

UTILIZATION OF BLOCK PLANNED

The northwest corner of Broughton and Broad Streets, measuring ninety-four feet by eighty-seven feet five inches, with a brick building thereon, has been sold to Messrs. Branson, Brown & Company for $75,000.

The transaction was completed yesterday afternoon, the vendor being represented by Messrs. A. Cameron, Michael & Company, and Mr. C. L. H. Branson, presumably acting for his own firm.

Mr. Branson is satisfied a good investment has been secured in a site of the city which is more and more regarded as the financial district. Adjoining is a building which is being remodelled for business offices, and while the brick building on the site named is about thirty-five years old, built as a storehouse, warehouse and workshop for a furniture company, it is of substantial construction and can readily be remodeled. Plans for its utilization will probably be announced later.

Some idea of the enhanced realty valuations in this district is shown in the fact that only two months ago the property changed hands at about half the price now paid.

Three Patients From Ship Are in Grave Condition

SEATTLE, Feb. 26.—Spinal meningitis today claimed the life of one of the 164 steerage passengers of the Amgrisan Mail liner, President Lincoln, which it threatened and endangered the lives of three others.

Rafino, Ogon, one of the twelve persons suffering from the disease, died today in a hospital.

The only woman in the sick group and two men were in a critical condition tonight.

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Guard Against Flu— Sore Throat the First Warning

Few families will escape. This epidemic constitutes a real danger. Health authorities everywhere warn the public of the danger of the common cold. "Flu" usually starts with Sore Throat Unless the germs are killed by some antiseptic treatment a serious malady may develop.

A simple treatment is to gargle the throat three times daily with Nerviline. The antiseptic properties of Nervilene quickly destroy the germs in the throat. Of course, if the chest is sore, Nerviline should be rubbed over the affected area—lots of rubbing—it can't burn or blister, but will bring out the congestion and break up the cold.

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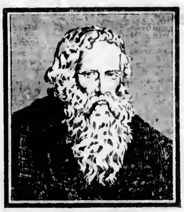

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Van Camp's Pork and Beans, 8-oz size 2 for	23c	Del Monte Sliced Peaches, 2's, per can	23c
Weston's Fresh Soda Biscuits, large packet, 2 for	35c	Gold Cross Orange Marmalade, glass jars 2 for	18c 35¢
Majestic Marmalade, 4-lb. cans	42c	Empress Tea, per lb.	59c
Quick Quaker Oats, with china	35c	Our Reception Coffee is the best value in town, reg 55c Special	51c
A Nice Size Orange, sweet and juicy, per dozen	16c	Extra Special Oranges, size, quality, flavor per dozen	22c
3 dozen for	45¢	3 dozen for	60¢
LARGE JUICY LEMONS Extra special, per dozen			30c

FERRY PLAN REGARDED AS FINE ASSET

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In his opening remarks the president, Mr. McKillican, expressed great anxiety to see the West Coast and northern roads construction work carried through. This, to his mind, would promote Island prosperity greatly. Touching on more local interests, he spoke of the paving of Beacon Avenue and expressed the general sense of gratitude that the Steveston-Sidney ferry project was about to be realized.

CANADA'S EDEN

Proposing the toast to "The Province of British Columbia" Colonel Peck dealt with the developments of what he termed the "Garden of Eden of Canada," and in connection with Sidney itself, he had been pleased to see that allowance had been made in the estimates for further paving of Beacon Avenue, and for extension of sidewalks. The response to this toast was made by Mr. Patrick Philip, deputy minister of public works, who, a Canadianised Irishman, touched on some of British Columbia's special problems.

"Transportation is the Alpha and Omega of civilization," he quoted in this connection. Without good highways, ferries, etc., the country could not expect to prosper. This speaker also recalled the pessimistic picture of British Columbia drawn by Labouchere in 1881, as "a barren, cold country not worthy of the effort of keeping," and which "fifty railroads could not galvanize into prosperity." The editor of Truth would, if he were living and could see even the Saanich Peninsula today, be the first and most willing person to retract that forecast, with apologies, for the Island and the whole of British Columbia had many things of which to be proud.

TOASTS VICTORIA

Mr. G. A. Cochran proposed the toast to "The City of Victoria," responded to by Mr. Claude Harrison, who deliberately avoided more than passing reference to the West Coast Road and Forbidden Plateau to compliment the Sidney Board of Trade on their approaching realization of the Steveston-Sidney ferry, and to urge on the same body the importence of pressing for a good ferry service to Salt Spring Island. If would be to Victoria's interest, also. The province, both Mainland and Island, would be generously repaid, he thought, by the expenditure of two million dollars on transportation development systems for the southern part of Vancouver Island. Sidney could count on Victoria's support in any road and ferry development schema.

The growth of both Victoria and Sidney boards of trade during the past year was referred to by Mr. Sparling in proposing "The Victoria Chamber of Commerce," a toast to which Mr. George I. Warren responded by saying their best achievement of the year had been the securing of interchanging switching facilities giving them access to both the C.P.R. and C.N.R. The Sidney Board of Trade was to be congratulated for having been instrumental in getting that decision. The successful arbitration of the freight rates question was another matter of congratulation. Sidney should succeed industrially just as much as its American neighbor, Anacortes, but for that there must be secured cheap power and cheap water. The development of the Saanich seed industry was also urged.

MISSIONS OF COMMERCE

"The Saanich Board of Trade" was proposed by Mr J. E McNeil. Rev. Montague Bruce, replying to e suggestion made by the former speaker, said that question of public utilities was being taken up by the municipalities. Members were urged to join the Automobile Association. Recently returned from England, Mr. Bruce compared Canada end the Motherland from an artist's viewpoint: the latter was like a painting in miniature, the former like a big oil painting, appreciated most when seen from a distance. "We are Canadians one and all, and must look at things from a big standpoint," he told his audience "Our boards of trade are the missions by which we are teaching the people what there is in this wonderful country of ours"

"The Esquimalt Board of Trade" was proposed by Mr. R. N MacAulay, who expressed appreciation of the support given the Sidney body by the Esquimalt Board of Trade on various occasions when their interests were mutual. The president of the Esquimalt board, Mr. G. E Hutchinson, responding in humorous vein, said there was some talk of Esquimalt and Victoria joining Esquimalt was hopeful concerning the establishment of industries, although Victoria had taken the wind out of their sails in some respects

MORE INDUSTRIES

Sidney was fortunate in the variety of its industries, but had not enough of any one of them, Mr. T. Rigg stated in proposing "Our Industries." The response was by Mr. Walton, representing the lumber industry especially, who urged that British Columbia, Vancouver Island particularly, should try to make industry attractive to the people in Eastern Canada who had money to invest.

The toast to "The Press" was proposed by Mr. A. Williamson, responded to by Mr. H. J. McIntyre, of The Sidney Review. The former speaker expressed regret at Mr. B C. Nicholas' absence. Mr. A. W Hollands proposed, and Mr. C. H. O'Halloran replied to the toast to "Our Visiting Guests." The former said that it would be better for the whole of Vancouver Island, if instead of the slogan "Follow the Birds to Victoria," the Associated Boards of Trade of the Island pressed for the slogan. "You Haven't Seen the Coast Until You Have Seen Vancouver Island, particularly Sidney and Victoria." Mr. O'Halloran foresaw great things for Sidney, Victoria and the whole of the Island if the Steveston-Sidney ferry were linked up with a West Coast and Northern part of the Island roads. Canada now ranked fifth among the nations of the world, and some of this trade importance should extend this way.

A very warm tribute to the late Alderman A E. Todd, any reference to whom must summon memories of his activities in connection with the Island Highway, the Jordan Highway, the West Coast Road and other highway development, was paid by Mr. Dawe

"He was not only a great Victorian, but a great Canadian," said Mr. Dawe

The speeches were pleasantly interspersed with vocal solos by Mr. W Cowell.

Dirigible Circles Etna

ITALY'S perennial disturbers, Mount Etna and Mount Vesuvius, are not often photographed "close up." Here is shown a picture taken recently from an Italian dirigible that flew close to the craters of both these active volcanoes braving the dangers of their noxious fumes to get the pictures.

Progress —The Evening News, London.

House Approves Lash Penalty for Drug Traffickers

OTTAWA, Feb. 26.—The addition of the lash to penalties for trafficking in drugs was approved this morning by the special committee of the House of Commons which is considering amendments to the Opium and Narcotic Drug Act.

Dr. J P. Howden, Liberal, St Boniface, chairman of the committee, declared that a drug trafficker was worse than a murderer.

Some members were reluctant to accept the imposition of whipping as being degrading not only to the whipped but to the whipper. The amendment was passed on division

The desirability of institutions in which addicts might be forcibly detained for curative treatment was emphasized by Colonel C. H. Charman, chief of the narcotic division of the Department of Health The Federal Government had no jurisdiction in this connection. The provinces had a duty to treat the narcotic patients in the same way as the insane or the tubercular.

RUNS FIVE MILES IN FORTY-FIVE MINUTES AT 70

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BY-LAW POLL TO BE HELD ON THURSDAY

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moneys upon the credit of the municipality.

THE ESTIMATED COST

The financial aspect of the proposed technical school is as follows:

Total estimated cost of proposed technical school buildings, $200,000

Less amount of Provincial Government grant towards cost of proposed buildings, $80,000.

Net cost of proposed technical buildings, $120,000.

Furniture and equipment for proposed technical school, $50,000.

Less amount of Provincial Government grant towards cost of furnishing and equipping proposed technical school, $25,000.

Net cost of furnishing and equipping proposed technical school, $25,000.

Total estimated cost of buildings, furniture and equipment for proposed technical school, $145,000.

The voting on the technical school by-law will be held in the public market building on Cormorant Street tomorrow, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 8 p.m. Mr. M. F. Hunter, city clerk, will officiate as returning officer and Mr. E. E. Coady-Johnson will be deputy returning officer.

The results of the vote will be known before 9 o'clock tomorrow night.

MINISTERS WANTED AS WITNESSES

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discussion on his motion calling for the adjournment of the Manitoba Legislature until March 20, was successful this afternoon when he gave notice of motion for closure of the debate. Vehement protests were forthcoming from the Conservative leader, Colonel Taylor, and John Queen, Labor leader, both expressing the opinion that the Premier's notice of motion was not in order, as Tuesday is officially private members' day in the House The ruling of the Speaker favored Mr Bracken's notice, and on motion by Colonel Taylor that the ruling be not concurred in a vote was taken. The motion was defeated twenty-eight to twenty-four, and the Premier's notice of motion stands.

AT OTTAWA

OTTAWA, Feb. 26 "Either the word of a minister is sacred and that minister speaks on behalf of the Cabinet, or else the idea of Cabinet solidarity and of the honor of this House becomes a thing of the past," Mr Woodsworth asserted.

The Seven Sisters Falls lease subject was introduced by Mr Woodsworth on a resolution standing in his name and advocating that no disposition of natural resources under the control of the Dominion Government shall be effective until ratified by Parliament.

T. W. Bird, Progressive, Nelson, condemned the principle of handing over natural resources to private interests by orders in council. "There is no logic or justice in it whatsoever. What is the difference between depriving people of their wealth by taxation or alienating their resources?"

Son (who is at his father's school): "Were you at the bottom of your form at St. James'?"

Father: "Certainly not!"

Son: "Well, the desks are screwed down, and your name's carved on the one I'm at."

—Passing Show.

Bachelor Girl—"What do you miss most now that you're married and settled down?"

Wife—"My husband"

TEACHERS WILL CONTRIBUTE TO PROPOSED PLAN

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lishment of a reserve fund, the continuing 4 per cent per month contributions going into a separate operating fund

PENSION FUNDS

Pensions may be paid in a manner similar to Dominion Government annuities, under three plans—single life, guaranteed pension for the life of the pensioner of a definite number of years, and joint life and last survivor covering the life of the pensioner and any person designated by him. Further, arrangements can be made for the care of dependents of a contributor of the fund in the event of his or her death.

A number of aged teachers are now in receipt of retiring allowances from the Government, and these will be taken care of in future by means of the pension fund and not from the direct funds of the Government.

Teachers' pensions will be free from seizure of attachment by courts or processes of law

FOR THOSE UNDER FIFTY

Teachers who are now of the age of thirty-five or over, may contribute, if they so desire, a sum larger than 4 per cent but not greater than 7 per cent, if under fifty years, in order to fully qualify when reaching the retirement age for the full pension, "but no request under this section shall be acted upon unless it is accompanied by the payment of such sum as is necessary to be added to the deductions already made and placed to the credit of the reserve account, in order that they may conform to the rate so named."

After contributing to the pension fund for thirty-five years a teacher may cease to do so by giving notice in writing.

Upon a contributor "becoming entitled to a teachers' pension under the provisions of the act, he shall be granted a pension of such sum as double the amount at his credit in the teachers' pension fund, arising from deductions from his salary, and the accrued interest thereon, would entitle him to according to the prescribed tables then in force." To this will be added "such further sum as the total of the special contributions, if any, made by him or on his behalf, together with accrued interest thereon, would entitle him to according to the prescribed tables then in force."

In other words this means that the Provincial Treasury will meet the contributions of the teachers to the fund, apart from the reserve fund, with dollar for dollar.

Mr. Amery Tells Of Information Given to Canada

LONDON, Feb. 26.—(C.P. Cable). —Commander C. Bellaire, Conservative, Maidstone, in the Commons yesterday asked why Canada was informed of the Anglo-French naval compromise only after some foreign governments had been formally notified. The questioner stated that his inquiry was prompted by the fact that at the Imperial Conference in 1926 it was agreed where one part of the Empire entered into negotiations with another country all parts should be duly advised if the negotiations were likely to affect other parts of the Empire.

Mr. Amery, Secretary for the Dominions, said he had explained on a previous occasion that, in accordance with the procedure laid down at the Imperial Conference in 1926, the governments of the various Dominions were informed in advance of the intention of the Government of the United Kingdom to enter into conversations with the French Government. Telegrams including the results of these conversations were sent to British representatives abroad on July 30 and to the governments of the Dominions on August 1.

Teacher: "An anonymous person is one who does not wish to be known. Now, boys, who is laughing in this class?"

Voice "An anonymous person, teacher."

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National Council Of Education to Ask Church's Aid

VANCOUVER, Feb. 26.—Ministers and other representatives of various churches met here today with the executive secretary of the National Council of Education, and decided to request the heads of the churches throughout the whole of Canada to circularize or otherwise reach all the ministers of their denominations, asking these ministers, in consultation with their local boards, to arrange that on Sunday, April 7, they present to their congregations the objects and aims of the National Council of Education.

The fourth national conference on education convenes in Victoria for a two-day session, April 5 and 6 and daily sessions will be held in Vancouver the following week.

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OPPOSITION IS INQUISITIVE

Present Special Auditors Give Advice in Contrast to Price, Waterhouse & Company

AFFECTS ATTITUDE TO DOMINION GRANT

The proceedings in the Public Accounts Committee of the House, which up to the present time have been of a very humdrum character, suddenly developed no small amount of interest yesterday, when Messrs. A. M. Manson, Ian Mackenzie and Dr. W. H. Sutherland voiced objections, especially with regard to the audit which has been conducted by the firm of Helliwell, Maclachlan & Company.

One of the points raised was with respect to the payment of the salary to Hon. J. Hinchliffe, Minister of Education. The point was brought up by Mr. Mackenzie, who contended that the salary paid to that minister was not provided for in the estimate of the previous session.

Mr. E. D. Johnson, deputy minister of finance, said that the voucher would come to the department properly signed and countersigned, and it would then be paid.

It was suggested that the audit department was responsible for giving the necessary authority and that the comptroller might be called upon to give the information as to whether the Department of the Attorney-General had passed upon this matter, and sanctioned the course pursued.

The opinion of Messrs. Mackenzie and Manson was that there would have to be a special warrant issued for the paying of the salary to the Minister of Education for the term of office from the taking over of the position until the beginning of the next fiscal year, on April 1. It was argued that it did not come under the statutory payments.

Dr. Sutherland wanted information relative to the order-in-council under which the present auditors were working, and how far the authority was vested in them with respect to recommendations. Special stress was laid on the point of whether it were proper to include the Dominion grant among the assets of the province which it had been recommended by the special auditors should be wiped out.

ORDERED BY ONE FIRM

To Mr. Manson the deputy minister of finance gave the information that the Dominion grants were placed there on the instructions of the firm of Price, Waterhouse & Company, when that audit was made in 1917.

Mr. Manson favored the course generally, as he said the amount for the most part was fixed by the terms of union.

Mr. George S. Pearson asked if the annual payment might not be wiped out by the Dominion authorities paying a fixed sum which might be capitalized.

Dr. Sutherland suggested that the Dominion might give fixed bonds to the amount, and allow the interest on it.

Mr. George Walkem, the chairman of the committee, pointed out that the auditors evidently did not agree on the point.

To Mr. Manson Mr. Johnson said that the balance sheet that was put out by the province was as good a one as could be honestly put forward, in order to present the situation for the Province with the financial houses.

On the matter of sinking funds, the statement was made to the chairman of the committee that the funds for the liquidation of the debts were now absolutely right.

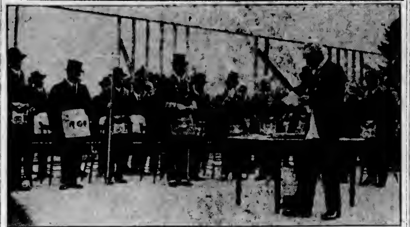
RELATIVE DEBT

Mr. Manson ventured the statement that while the debt of British Columbia was only one-eighth that of Ontario, the sinking funds set aside by the British Columbia Government was equal to that of Ontario, and all the other provinces, except British Columbia, west of it.

Another point that Mr. Manson raised was that of $60,000 by special warrant for snow removal equipment. He felt that this was rather strange that this should be carried out, in view of the fact that the former Government had decided against purchasing such outfits.

Mr. Johnson said that this was something that did not come under him, and he could not give any information.

Scenes at Masonic Temple Ceremony



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ABOVE is shown Mr. Munroe Millar, father of the Mount Newton Masonic Lodge, No. 89, presenting the address of welcome to the Most Worshipful Grand Master Robert Baird, of the Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, at the ceremony which marked the laying of the foundation stone of the new Mount Newton Lodge Temple last Saturday. Mr. Baird is shown holding the gavel. He is facing Mr. Munroe Miller. Grouped around him are the other officers of the Grand Lodge.

ABOVE is shown Most Worshipful Grand Master Robert Baird laying the foundation stone in the northeast corner of the temple. In his hand may be seen the engraved silver trowel presented to him by the Mount Newton Lodge in commemoration of the occasion. Grouped around Mr. Baird are the acting Grand Lodge officers, who found the stone true and squarely laid.

DIRECTORS ARE PLEASED AT GRANT

Board Expresses Pleasure at Appropriation of $25,000 for Publicity Purposes

Satisfaction at the action of the City Council in granting the sum of $25,000 for publicity purposes was expressed yesterday at the luncheon meeting of the board of directors of the Publicity Bureau, held in the Chamber of Commerce.

Among other matters, the board passed a motion undertaking to pay the traveling expenses of a singing quartette which will go to Seattle to broadcast from Station KOMO.

The Puget Sound Navigation Company has communicated with Mr. George Warren, offering to broadcast a message on the advantages of Victoria on the evening of Saturday, March 9, from 9:30 to 10:15 o'clock. Mayor Anscomb has undertaken to cross to Seattle upon this date, and to give an address over the air upon "Victoria and Its Surroundings," and the quartette will be taken over under the leadership of Mr. Thomas Kelway.

The programme will be given under the auspices of the Pacific Coast chain of the National Broadcasting Company, and the splendid orchestra of the Totem Broadcasters will be in support.

A committee of three was appointed by Mr David Leeming, president of the bureau, to arrange for the entertainment of thirty-five Japanese hotel proprietors, who will visit Victoria for four hours on Wednesday, March 6. The guests will be brought to Victoria on the afternoon steamer from Seattle by the Washington State Hotel Association. Mr H. J. Wilson, manager of the Empress Hotel, has offered to entertain the visitors at luncheon, and the Publicity Bureau will arrange for their being taken upon a sightseeing drive immediately afterwards. The effect of the visit of these gentlemen to this coast will probably be that a certain amount of the tourist trade plying from Japan to Europe will be diverted from the Suez to the Atlantic route.

Five Bids Received For Ferry on Fraser

Tenders for the Agassiz-Rosedale ferry were opened by the Minister of Public Works yesterday afternoon. There were five tenders submitted for the work.

Pending an examination into the bids and the comparing of the various prices submitted, no award was made. Hon N. B. Lougheed said that the bids would be checked up by the officials of the department, and as soon as possible an award would be made.

The tenders were as follows:

Roger & Bell, $19,828.07; Charles O. Shawcross, $17,375.42; Vancouver Pile Driving & Construction Company, $19,994.30; W. R. Jaynes, New Westminster, $12,819.90; Fraser River Pile Driving Company, New Westminster, $19,046.02.

Conservatives Will Hold Ward Meeting

The Conservatives of Ward Five have been called to meet on Friday evening in the rooms of the Association in the Campbell Building. The main object of the meeting is to elect a representative on the central executive, a vacancy having been created.

There is other business to come before the meeting.

Main Line of Railway Will Be 285 Miles Long

Arrangement Is Reached in Connection With Route of Canadian North Eastern Railway, With One Branch Line as Feeder

The bill respecting the Canadian North Eastern Railway Company passed through the private bills committee yesterday without objection, after a change had been announced in the character of the measure by those in charge of it.

The powers to extend to the eastern boundary of the province have been dropped. The bill now seeks only the construction of the railway line from the town of Stewart to Fort Graham, with a branch line from a point just east of Meziaden Lake, about fifty miles from Stewart, northerly to the northern boundary of the province, with Tesla Lake or some other point which may be found the most feasible route for the line as the objective point.

The alteration in the bill was effected between the promoters of the railway and the directors of the P.G.E. in order that there might be no clashing of interest. As amended the line from Fort Graham northwards in to the valley of the Finlay River is abandoned, at least for the present. If later parts of the route which the company has in view are not needed by the P.G.E. there may be a return to the House to ask for further powers.

Mr. Charles Stevens, brother of Hon. H. H. Stevens, who is one of the principals in the company, was present with Mr. H. B. Robertson, K.C., as solicitor for the company.

The distance of the main line, as now applied for to Fort Graham is placed at 285 miles, and will pass through the Groundhog coal areas, and a rich mining district.

The branch line to the north sought is about 418 miles long.

It was pointed out before the committee that it was the intention of the company to carry on the surveys with every speed this Summer. For this purpose it would be necessary to start at each end of the line, and to do so it would be necessary to carry supplies into the interior by means of airships.

With regard to the bona fides of the people behind the company, it was explained by Mr Stevens that the names had been submitted to the Premier and to Colonel Spencer, a director of the P.G.E. and there was satisfaction expressed in connection with them.

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Secretary of General Council of United Church Visits City and Will Meet Ministers

Rev. Albert T. Moore, D.D., secretary of the General Council of the United Church of Canada, will today address a meeting in the First United Church in connection with the spiritual programme enunciated by the last General Council, held at Winnipeg. The Union of the Congregational, Presbyterian and Methodist churches has guided a great deal of the thought of the United Church along lines of organization and amalgamation during the past two years, and the meeting tonight is expected to give great impetus to the spiritual life and programme of the local churches.

Besides addressing this meeting, Dr. Moore will meet the ministers of the United Church in conference, and will also address a mass meeting of the young people's societies in Wilkinson Road Church on tomorrow evening.

NEW COMPTROLLER-GENERAL'S SALARY

Allowance Raised From $6,000 to $8,000 Under Proposed Amendment

The bill to amend the Audit Act so that the salary of the Comptroller-General might be advanced from $6,000 to $9,000 a year, passed its second reading in the Legislature yesterday. It was explained by the Minister of Finance, Hon. W. C. Shelly, that the change was necessary in order that the province should secure a man well fitted for the position following the retirement of the present occupant of the position. He alluded to the fact that Mr. Davidson, of the Liquor Control Board, received $12,000, while the Comptroller of Vancouver received $8,000.

A certified chartered accountant was necessary.

Mr. T. D. Pattullo wanted the matter left over until the estimates came up for consideration, when this subject would arise.

Mr Shelly said that there was need of haste in the matter as the comptroller was in the hospital, and was retiring in another month.

Mr Pattullo suggested that a man could be put in the position in case of need until the salary matter was adjusted.

Mr Pattullo adjourned the debate on the second reading.

The municipality committee reported that its work was completed.

A large number of bills were advanced a stage in the House yesterday, several of them passing their third readings and others the report stage.

After another sitting or two the order paper will be materially reduced in the number of bills remaining to be considered.

CHIROPRACTORS' BILL CONSIDERED

Change in Personnel of Board Sought—Present Situation Is Explained

A change in the personnel of the board of examiners for chiropractors is contained in a bill to amend the Medical Act, introduced into the House at yesterday afternoon's session of the Legislature. Colonel F. Lister, Conservative, Creston, introduced the bill, following which Premier S. F. Tolmie moved the appointment of a select committee of the House to receive delegations and give consideration to the arguments presented.

Colonel Lister explained that at present the board of examiners comprised three medical men and two chiropractors. As it was now, chiropractors contended that they could not pass the board of examiners because they were not practising medicine. They did, however, desire to practice as qualified chiropractors. No one had yet passed the board of examiners, so that those chiropractors practising were doing so illegally.

The purpose of the bill was to have the membership of the board consist of chiropractors entirely.

The committee named by Premier Tolmie is as follows: Colonel Lister, Mr. E. C. Carson, Conservative, Lillooet, Mr. J. H. Schofield, Conservative, Trail; Mr. J. A. Buckham, Liberal, Columbia, and Mr. J. J. Gillis, Liberal, Yale.

GOVERNMENT IS URGED TO TAKE OVER EDUCATION

In contributing to the debate on the budget yesterday afternoon, Mr. L. A. Hanna, Liberal, Alberni, demanded to know of the Government its policy in connection with social legislation, the Minimum Wage Act, the school and hospital questions, royalties and water power.

In his opening remarks, he said that a considerable portion of the budget had been devoted to explaining the recent selling of provincial bonds. He ventured to suggest that by the time all the Government members had spoken they would have convinced the House that the syndicate had paid for the privilege of marketing the bonds.

He then proceeded to deal with matters of education. He reiterated his policy as outlined in the debate on the Address in Reply, namely that the Province should take over the entire educational system and also the maintenance and establishment of hospitals. The burden was too great for the municipalities to bear, he declared.

Mr. Hoover Puts Veto on Tariff Duties Demanded

TORONTO, Feb. 26.—The Mail and Empire today publishes the following:

"President-Elect Hoover, faced by conflict of domestic and foreign interests, has informed high tariff leaders in Congress that he will countenance no general increase at the extra session and will not sign at any time a bill with the high increases in duties demanded by the powerful tariff bloc."

This information conveyed to avoid furores at home and abroad at the outset of the new administration, came as the House machinery was tightened to take farm relief and an agricultural tariff in one gulp at the extra session, now scheduled to be called between April 10 and 20.

Mr Hoover has been caught in a dilemma between his desires for good will abroad and a high tariff and greater prosperity at home. On one side are super-tariff barons and political angels demanding high duties. On the other side, Latin-American nations and Canada already have shown they would resent tariffs which might hurt their trade.

He hopes by delaying general tariff revision beyond the extra session to temper the extreme demands.

IF BACK HURTS BEGIN ON SALTS

Flush Your Kidneys Occasionally by Drinking Quarts of Good Water

No man or woman can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Too much rich food creates acids which clog the kidney pores so that they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood. Then you get sick. Rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders often come from sluggish kidneys.

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A LEAF IN THE DARK

In the matter of vocational guidance and technical training there is much to be criticized in the way of fads and frills now being introduced to expand the uses and expenses of free education. The thin end of the wedge is the technical school. Once it is established at the taxpayers' expense it is simply a question of introducing new courses which can be put into effect without the taxpayers' sanction, although they have to foot the bill. The Technical School By-Law upon which the property owners will vote tomorrow merely provides for an instalment of the expenditure which would be incurred during succeeding years. The property owners have no control over the courses which could be instituted; no say in the matter of how free education could be extended at the discretion of a School Board.

We have the example in this municipality of free education being given to students who are not entitled to it. There is the instance of the Saanich pupils in the schools who are paying from $30 to $40 less per capita than their high school education actually costs. There is the case of pupils at the high school who are the sons and daughters of parents who do not reside in Victoria and who are not taxpayers here being given free education at the expense of this municipality. The proposed technical school would aggravate the cost of education to which Victoria's property owners are subjected. It would contain students who are not entitled to free education, and they would not be charged for at the per capita cost of their technical studies. The taxpayers would continue to bonus such students as is done in the case of so many hundred students at the present high school.

The educational problem in this municipality is one to that should be solved before there is any new and costly experiment made in the direction of providing technical education on a grandiose scale. No one disputes the value of manual training such as prevails in the high school and other schools of the city. The facilities for this, at the present time, are ample enough. The commercial classes at the high school, despite their doubtful value, do give a commercial training of a sort, though it has in very many cases to be supplemented by special courses at private schools before the high school graduates are fitted for their places in the commercial life of this and other communities. It has to be supplemented despite the fact that the high school commercial course occupies three years, whereas special courses at private institutions equip students for commercial pursuits in a year's time, and often less. That illustrates how much time must be lost in commercial studies at the high school, and how much money the taxpayers have to provide.

If the taxpayers of this municipality are satisfied that they can support an extra, and what must prove a cumulative, strain on their resources and if, at the same time, they approve of experiments in technical and vocational training at their expense, they will sanction tomorrow's by-law. Other cities have made such experiments with very dubious results. There will be a tax rate in this community for the current calendar year of over 41 mills. Next year, if a technical high school is approved, it will be increased out of proportion to the growing number of children who have to be educated free. Both technical and vocational education remain largely a question of experiment. There is no reason that we know of to believe that the technical and vocational guides in Victoria are so thoroughly conversant with the industrial field, so endowed with knowledge of the mental and physical lives of youth, and so versed in general and individual psychology, that they will make the experiment here a success in all its ramifications. It has been a full success nowhere else; there is doubt about the extent to which it has been a partial success. That is the verdict of educational authorities, other than those who comprise the technical bureaucracy. Victorians have twice refused to sanction the establishment of a technical high school here. The arguments which induced their decision remain as strong as ever against their taking a leap in the dark.

SELF-DEFENCE

The Kellogg Pact for the renunciation of war has been ratified by Parliament at Ottawa. An interesting feature of the debate was the fact that Mr. Mackenzie King, the Prime Minister, said that in this pact there are no reservations so far as Great Britain and the United States are concerned, and he asked for none in the matter of Canada. The truth is that there is an implied and inherent reservation, namely, the right of all these countries to self-defence. This reservation was brought to the attention of Parliament by Mr. R. B. Bennett, the Conservative leader. It implies the right of each country to define what its own self-defence shall be, yet there has been no definition of Canada given by Mr. Mackenzie King. The Government, as Mr. Bennett pointed out, has constituted itself the interpreter of what the Kellogg Pact means, but has failed to interpret the right of self-defence. This was glossed over by the Prime Minister. He insisted that Mr. Austen Chamberlain was the authority for saying that Britain had accepted the Pact without reservation, and the idea is that Canada has done the same.

Parliament has approved the Kellogg Pact unanimously, as it might well do because it is only a friendly gesture. It is a treaty accepted by sixty-two nations and each of these nations reserves the right to define what its own self-defence shall constitute. Mr. King is not worried at all over this matter. An American was the author of the treaty, and, since signing it, the American Government has pledged itself to an enhanced naval policy. In other words the United States has given a practical demonstration that it intends to continue to define its own self-defence and it regards heavy commitments in this direction more necessary than ever before. The treaty very clearly has its outstanding reservations. Since it has Mr. Mackenzie King's apparent wish to waive aside the question of Canada's defence and to fail to interpret the viewpoint of his Government on this matter is hardly understandable.

FRESH AIR CAMP

One branch of the Social Service League's activities is the provision each Summer time of a fresh air camp where tired mothers and their children can spend a few weeks' holiday. It is designed to afford open air facilities for those who otherwise would miss them through straight, tired circumstances. It is a worthy and a part of a health programme and as such deserves support from the public. The Social Service League is now appealing for a fund to provide its fresh air camp. It is a matter in which religious and philanthropic leaders in the community take a keen interest, which they wish to see carried out in a manner that will be a credit to Victoria. In order that these fresh air facilities this year than ever before the Social Service League has selected ground at Sooke. On this it desires to provide a suitable Summer home with camping facilities, and to do all this a certain sum of money is required.

The aim is worthy in most humane one. It is a matter of congratulation to the citizens that there should be a body of men and women to direct such aims, which they have taken as their at heart. Motherhood is entitled to the compensations of fresh air, rest and sunshine, and so is the Social Service League in catering to needs which otherwise cannot be supplied. In this task it requires public co-operation and hence is making an appeal, which, if adequately responded to, will bring sunshine into the homes and lives of many families. The fresh air camp should not fail in any particular because of lack of funds. Those wishing to help can subscribe for this branch of social amelioration. Subscriptions list at the Business Office of this newspaper.

The display of work done by Victoria pupils and now on view in the city is a credit to the manual training department of the schools, and the interest shown in it. It, however, furnishes no argument whatever regarding the supposed need for a technical school in Victoria. It has no bearing on the question that a display of penmanship, English composition, botany, map-drawing or arithmetical solutions. Manual training has long been accepted as a regular part of the ordinary school course of study. Is it possible that the School Board is unaware of this fact?

Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, the British Labor leader, is constantly criticizing Premier Baldwin for alleged failure in efforts to promote peace and disarmament. There is a rather sad commentary on this attitude to be found in the manner in which Mr. MacDonald rushed into print to deliver himself of his views on American naval policy. His attitude in the matter of naval armament let to a headline in a New York paper: "Mr. MacDonald Helps Our Cruiser Bill."

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., February 26, 1929.

TEMPERATURES

	Rain	Min.	Max.
Victoria	.02	37	43
Vancouver	.02	32	42
Vancouver	.04	36	38
Kamloops	.02	28	38
Barkerville	(snow, 0.06)	26	34
Prince Rupert	.16	34	46
Prince Rupert	.38	34	42
Atlin	.22	32	42
Dawson		40	50
Seattle	Trace	38	48
Portland	.02	38	48
San Francisco	.50	48	54
Spokane	.22	36	44
Los Angeles	.04	48	62
Penticton	.26	26	34
Vernon	.11	24	34
Grand Forks	.02	30	38
Nelson	.02	32	38
Cranbrook	.10	18	32
Calgary	.22	36	52
Edmonton	.02	34	46
Swift Current	.16	36	48
Prince Albert	.14	28	38
Qu'Appelle	.16	34	38
Winnipeg	.02	38	50

FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Moderate to Fresh southerly winds; cloudy and mild with showers.

Lower Mainland—Moderate to fresh southerly winds; cloudy and mild with showers.

TUESDAY

Maximum	43	
Minimum	37	
Average	40	
Minimum on the grass	24	
Rain, .37 inch.		

General state of the weather, rain.

8 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.11; wind, E. 4 miles; raining.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.10; wind, E. 8 miles; raining.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.20; calm; fair.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.84; wind, S., 10 miles; fair.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.16; wind, S.W., 4 miles; cloudy.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.12; wind, N., 8 miles; cloudy.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.10; wind, W., 24 miles; raining.

Portland—Barometer, 30.28; wind, S.W., 12 miles; cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.12; wind, S., 16 miles; cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.18; wind, W., 4 miles; fair.

THE FACT OF BEING FRENCH

The Daily Colonist of Victoria asks English-Canadians of the Pacific Coast to learn French in order that they may be in a position to talk to French-Canadians who do not speak English or French language. If we want these good Canadians to produce fruit, it will be necessary for us to do our part. The first point, since we want them to recognize the fact of our being French, that is to say the fact of our existence and of our desire to live in our true character, is that we must not dissimulate our reality or importance of this "fact of being French." In other words, we must always show our selves in our true colors, and act in the way that all other people act who have the sentiment of a national pride.—Le Devoir.

HORSE SENSE

"The story of a dog refusing to go under the railing that was about to fall reminds me," writes Major-General R. B. Adams, "of a similar incident that happened to me many years ago. I used to ride a horse of mine, Prince of Naples, winner of many races, across the railway bridge leading from the Outwarth to the Little Outwarth, where my training stable was. Every day he would stop at the end of the wall of the bridge for no apparent reason. One day I found that the wall had fallen down and was making an fairly-looking heap by the side of the road. The horse now took not the slightest notice of it. I have always thought since that animals have some sense or strain that we humans do not possess."—"Peter Simple" in The London Morning Post.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

We have been reading something that reminds us again of one of the brightest sayings of Sir John Macdonald that nobody possibly could be as good as Sir John Carling looked. We can imagine the merry and mischievous twinkle in the eyes of the old Tory Chieftain when he said that, and we believe Sir John was looking his old friend and political colleague in the eyes when he said it. When we had finished reading the something mentioned, we wondered if it could be possible to say anything good to be at wise as the writer of that something accordingly we did. Commencing on the fact situation of the world and the rapid consumption of oil, the writer made this profound observation: "Power from the sun will be harnessed some day."

The learned commentator of course knew perfectly well when he wrote that profound observation that power from the sun is harnessed at the present day, and has been at least ever since the day when great orb which rules the day was set in the heavens and the evening and the morning were proclaimed the fourth day. Great is the source of all power, and power, we believe, would be no draw if the sun did not raise the water to nurture it and provide the heat to stimulate the growth. When man domesticated the first ass and ox he began to use power drawn from the sun. The soil in the pits and the oil in the depths are either animal or vegetable products, created, in the first place by the sun and stored away in the bowels of the earth, where man has found them and is using them for the production of power.

But for the action of the sun, they there could have been no Teapot Dome and scandal in the United States. Nobody would there have been a Seven Sisters water power scandal in Nova Scotia. The writer's commentator in question of course meant to say that some day man would be able to produce power from the sun instead of indirectly from the sun as he is doing at the present day. By using water for the production of power man is approaching nearer to the original source of power than he ever did before. Releasing the power of the sun by chemical processes, such as the combustion of coal and oil and other inflammable substances, is a complicated and costly business. The use of water for the release of stored power is a comparatively simple process, and that is why the sources of water supply have suddenly become so valuable and why politicians who have been elected to positions of public trust are succumbing to the wiles of the tempter and attempting to take advantage of their positions to improve their private circumstances. The water powers of Canada may prove the most valuable of the country's resources.

Labor in the narrow or at least limited sense was at one time a commodity that it produced all wealth, but we do not hear that platitude nowadays. The sun is the source of all wealth as of all power. The importance of the province of Canada last year were the work of the sun, but of course could not have been produced without the application of labor. The sun is the creator; labor the producer.

But the power of the sun is being applied in a different way in the future. The domesticated horse was an insignificant labor-saving device compared with the machine which drags the plow in the first agricultural problem and the modern "combine" in the final reaping process; but the source of power in the one case is the same as in the other. The wind that filled the sails of the first boat was from the same source as the steam that propels a modern ocean liner through the water at the rate of twenty-five knots an hour. Proud and ambitious man is getting nearer to the original source of power every day. Whether he ever will reach the culminating point of human achievement and draw power, light and heat for all his requirements from the fixed sun is at least a matter of interesting speculation. Marvellous things have been accomplished within the years of the memory of many living men, and it would be a rash thing to venture to set limits to the marvels that may yet be done.

Not so very many years ago the world was dominated by a superstitious dread of lightning. Lightning too has been harnessed and given a name like the horse. It is now harnessed in its properties as it is was in the days when Franklin sent up a kite in the storm and caught and lived to tell about the shock which rent his body and thrilled his spirit. We are now experimenting about the nature of electricity, through its agency we have established wireless communications, and by means of the radio the world what is happening in our particular part of the world in business, in politics, and in everything of deep human interest. Then far we have not succeeded in penetrating the veil of our physical environment which would otherwise seriously damage farming crops, and forbid to change their forest habits and come into the corn country fields. Thus the crops are spared the ravages of millions of insects which prefer forest life. When the trees are cut, however, the insects learn to live in the fields, much to the regret of the farmers.

The thoughtless greedy way in which American trees have been stacked down to also the reason for the death of many kinds of wild creatures who can live only in the woods. Birds are becoming less numerous and all the day wild things of the forest are trapped and shot and crowded into civilization.

For all of these reasons, statement and arguments are endeavoring to have reforestation laws passed, whereby new trees must be planted wherever old ones are cut.

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MEMORABILIA

To the Memory of Margery Grieve, Who Was, and Is My Friend

Another friend wines o'er the sea
And one some cruel disease
Another waits to welcome me
Where sorrow and pain are no more.
For her, earth's sufferings have ceased.

Lo! on the midnight hour,
From pain her spirit was released
In fairer vales to flower.

How faithfully she labored here
In her adopted land.
Those of us who now most revere
Her name, best understand.
To make this world a better place
Wherein to dwell, her aim:
Robert Spartan deeds to face.
Devoid of gold or fame.

To toil for others was a task
From whence she never shrank.
Not here in ignorance to bask.
What though the rich outrank.
Wisely she counselled, marshalled too
The sinister facts of life.
Forever seeking midst the rue,
A panacea for strife.

Words do but minimize her worth.
Whose every word was weighed:
Nor traversed on tides of mirth
Throughout her whole crusade.
Remembrance is a noble thing
When linked with death as shade
O death, we ask, where is thy sting?
Where grave, your victory?

JEANNE VALDEZ.
Victoria, B.C., February 24, 1929.

EXILE

The little frogs are croaking in the marsh,
And a golden sun is sinking fast to rest,
The stars will soon shine down on one who is exiled
On Vancouver Island, pride of all the West.

I can hear the axes ringing in the trees,
Where the screaming jays make melodious music
And at close of day I can see the sawed logs float
With a balmy breeze a'blowing from the ocean.

It is heaven! It is home, and all I love,
Where the salmon leaps all crazy for the fly,
Where the chugging launches go down the "Narrows," and I know it will be with me until the day I die.

I am far away in England, but I yearn
For the sight, the sound, the scent of old B.C.
Tang of wood-smoke, spruce and pine,
And a cabin to call mine
All I ask of life, and then I should be free.

—By Ralph Youngbusband.
"Sunny Cards," Partlight, Hastings, Sussex, England.

The Rhyming Optimist

By Aline Michaels

SO MANY PLANS

So many plans we make each day:
A bit of work, a bit of play,
We've dreams that take too long.
A pause to listen to a song,
A visit to a well-loved friend,
An hour of dreams at long day's end.

So many plans we make, but few
Of all our careful schemes come true:
Another takes the work we chose.
We miss the dream-filled hour's repose:
The bird and play that life assigns
Are far from those of our designs.

So many plans, yet we are they
Who bear each disappointment away
With but a fleeting sigh, resigned
To take what comes to hand, and find
In any role the day may bring
Some joyous promise blossoming.

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EDUCATIONAL PROBLEMS

Sir,—A great many of us are taking an interest in the school question. And we are having some very able opinion on the same. I have a little idea of my own, mine, first, I would ask. Who but an unbeliever would object to the Lord's Prayer and a hymn? Surely every denomination of religious study hymns and says the Lord's Prayer. There are but very few parents who could be used, and it would be a fitting start for the day with the children. I quite agree with some of the letters, that Bible reading without comments is of no use.

Then, again, this question of taxes. Why should the taxpayer be made to pay for a high school education? If we are asked to pay three mills more than we are now paying, then bring up the standard of education, and those who intend to do so, but they do not go to high school, and if the parents think it is wrong, must go through high school let them pay for it.

If you took a child from any school here and then it is a school, and the school you would find it was in grade six, it would be put in grade four over there. When a child has passed through the school there they have to start in all they teach in the high school here. So that taxpayers are asked to pay more, then let the teachers come up in their standard of teaching, and let those that want their children to go through high school pay for it, don't ask the taxpayer to do it.

ANNIE BORSLEY.
Coombs, B.C., February 23, 1929.

BROADCASTING

Sir,—I was pleased to see Mr. G. Ross Cowan's letter in your issue of the 23rd inst. Broadcasting, as a means of entertainment and as the right use of leisure, is surely of such importance as to demand the consideration of all. I have never yet heard a programme without many objectionable items. Anyone wishing to know the state of affairs at present should read the article "Bunk" in the American Mercury magazine, and also the issue of the Free Library. It will be difficult to improve matters, but improvement is a short time.

Are the clergy, ministers and societies of the Cathedral, churches and chapels, the trustees and teachers of our schools, and parents and other societies going to watch this matter? Or are they willing to take up this work without help from them? A committee should be made them realize that the right use of broadcasting is the best means to their objects than anything else.

It would be advisable to obtain from the British Broadcasting Company particulars of what the education societies are doing through them for the advantage of the school children. The amount of time and trouble taken for this purpose would show the value placed upon it in England. It is only fair to generally rationalize the people here if it were published. Your paper has shown a great interest in education as present. Mr. Cowan's letter, I think, your readers would appreciate it if you could get and publish this information.

WILLIAM PETERS.
Glenshiel Hotel, Victoria, B.C., February 24, 1929.

EARLY NEWSPAPERS

Sir,—I regret that Mr. T. Wilson has been misinterpreting my recent letter.

The Cowichan Leader published an article concerning the discovery of the early Victoria daily of the Union. The Victoria Times reprinted the article under a heading which erroneously ascribed to me the discovery of the early Victoria newspaper published in British Columbia. The Times, in its issue of the 15th, quoted The Times heading and proceeded to correct a mistake found too made. Replying, I referred to the reprint of the Times heading in that had he read The Times' reprint he could hardly have failed to note that it contained nothing to justify the words used in the headline.

I think this discovery of No. 3 of The News Letter, Victoria, September 28, 1864, is of great interest to many Victorians and to all journalists. I trust it will not cause any further misunderstanding.

Possibly some student of Victoria history may yet be able to put The News Letter in its proper place in early British Columbia journalism.

HUGH SAVAGE.
Managing Editor, The Cowichan Leader Duncan, B.C., February 25, 1929.

CONDITIONS IN HIGH SCHOOL

Sir,—Your editorial of the 22nd inst. on Technical Education in the Cost. is a timely one indeed, and one which should cause the Victoria taxpayer to weigh his vote carefully on the 28th. The last schedule issued by the Victoria School Board was a frame sinker at the Oaklands School, built in 1925, consisting of four classrooms, and cost $30,000. On the same basis, to build a school to house 800 pupils is of similar construction, which, of course, is unlikely, would cost $120,000 without any allowance for laboratories, gymnasium, auditorium, or heating plant, which would easily entail another $80,000, i.e., $200,000 in all.

Now, a similar structure of reinforced concrete with stone or terra cotta trimmings would cost nearly, easily to double that amount, and the total cost of such a structure the taxpayer would be lucky if he saved his scalp at half a million. It should also be borne in mind that there will be no comeback on the Dominion or Provincial Governments should the School Board find it has underestimated. We will have another Johnson Street bridge disaster.

In letters to The Colonist the chairman of the board has made two statements which are open to contradiction.

(1) By turning away Saanich pupils the city will lose $12,000 of easy money. If it costs $139 a year to educate a pupil at the high school, by what system of book keeping can $39 thus be turned into a profit. Saanich only paying $100 a year? By such an argument the School Board should advise all the taxpayers to move out to Saanich and in a few years they would clear off the municipal debt.

(2) That city is the last chance Victoria has of getting the Dominion grant. In the Federal House last week a statement was made that there was an unexpended balance of $187,000 to the credit of British Columbia which can be drawn on until the fund is expended.

The School Board claims that the elimination of Saanich pupils would only relieve the situation for a time. Well, time is the all-important thing at present to give the Victoria taxpayer a chance to get on an even keel and to allow property values to stabilize. Anything is better than to let Brooklyn and "picked up" what scraps of education, he possessed. He was, by his own choice, a vagabond, and wandered aimlessly, happy and contented with life. Out of his turbulent brain came the plaintive words of "Oh Captain, My Captain," and "The Prayer of Columbus," two of his best poems. All of Whitman's poems are found in a single volume called "Leaves of Grass."

MORE FASCINATING THAN FABLE

HOW TREES ARE OFTEN MORE PRECIOUS THAN GOLD

WE who live in cities, are apt to think of trees as things of beauty and of shade, but of no other value. But there are many places where trees are more precious than gold.

Forests save thousands of lives by preventing floods. The roots of trees drink in the extra rain water, and the mulch of dead leaves at the foot of the tree, acts like a sponge to soak in the water from swollen rivers.

Mississippi floods have been national catastrophies only since the Civil War, when forests had been hacked down and used for lumber. Before that the spring torrents fed the forests instead of burdening the river.

Forests perform another important duty for mankind. They hold mountains together, keeping great masses of earth from sliding down into the valleys, landslides which bring destruction to crops and dwelling houses.

Where patches of woodland are left standing, many of the insects which would otherwise seriously damage farmers' crops, are forced to change their forest habits and come into the corn country fields. Thus the crops are spared the ravages of millions of insects which prefer forest life. When the trees are cut, however, the insects learn to live in the fields, much to the regret of the farmers.

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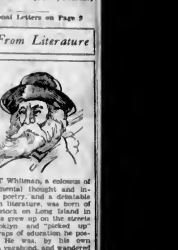

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In appealing for your approval of the School By-Law to be submitted Thursday of this week, the School Board respectfully directs your attention to the following:

1. The proposed Technical School will provide ample high school accommodation for years to come at the least cost to the ratepayer. The board, after the most careful investigation and obtaining expert advice, wishes to state emphatically that the cost of the building and equipment will not exceed $250,000, of which amount the Government will pay $105,000. There is no intention of duplicating a building of the type of the present high school. Almost the entire staff required for instruction will be provided by the transfer of teachers from the high school to the technical school. The annual charge covering building, equipment and maintenance will not exceed $18,000, or increased taxation to the extent of 45 cents per $1,000 assessment.

2. The exclusion of nonresident pupils, which will follow the defeat of the by-law will result in an estimated annual net loss of $12,000. This means a raise in taxes of about 30 cents per $1,000. By such action the ratepayers will virtually gain nothing, as the high school will remain filled to its designed capacity with no provision for increased attendance of resident pupils in the immediate future. These are facts which should influence every voter who wishes the schools to be administered economically, to support the by-law.

3. In January there were enrolled at the high school 18 pupils, 2 years of age; 117, 13 years; 353, 14 years; 418, 15 years; 271, 16 years; 110, 17 years; 20, 18 years; 5, 19 years; and 1, 22 years. There is no abnormal retardation and the board challenges its critics to cite a parallel Canadian school with a lower average pupil age. The board has no control whatever over high school entrance regulations.

4. Only courses of instruction prescribed or approved by the Provincial Education Department can be given in the technical school. These courses will include a general training covering the subjects of English, mathematics, science, history, geography and practical training in the shops and laboratories and will enable the pupil to receive the equivalent training necessary for future success in the industrial world. Pupils will be admitted to the technical school direct from the elementary schools.

5. As your trustees, we are endeavoring to administer the victoria schools with due regard to economy, efficiency and our responsibilities as defined by the School Act. We are anxious to lighten the burden of taxation as much as possible. We have studied the situation from all angles, and we unanimously believe that the passing of the by-law is in the best interests of our city and all concerned.

GEORGE JAY, Chairman.
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VACCINATION DAY

LANKETING, Feb. 26.—Widespread ignorance of smallpox has led to government designation of March 1 as National Vaccination Day. People are urged to be vaccinated.

GOVERNMENT IS CHALLENGED ON BUDGET DATUM

Unusual Development to Remarks of Minister of Finance in Connection With Financial Statement

MARKETING ACT ISSUE SHORTLY

The Opposition in the Legislature has given notice of a motion and amendment to the motion to go into supply. The motion is one which stands in the name of Mr. I. A. MacKenzie and reads as follows:

That on the motion of the Honorable the Minister of Finance, "That Mr. Speaker do now leave the chair for the purpose of going into committee of supply," that all the words after the word "That" in the resolution be struck out, and the following substituted therefor:—

"This House regrets that the Honorable the Minister of Finance, in presenting the estimates for the year 1929-30, did not disclose all the commitments for the year in question, and in respect generally of the financial affairs of the province did not try to the House misleading and incorrect information.

The alleged incorrect information follows the line of the objections taken by members of the Opposition to the public accounts committee of the three preceding years, and is based on the special auditors' interim report.

Yesterday afternoon the House decided, without debate, on the motion of the Premier, to hold evening sittings of the Legislature whenever it was deemed advisable so to do.

The subject of the Marketing Act and amendments thereto will get before the House on Thursday, when a motion will be introduced by Mr. J. W. Berry, which will set out the sentiment of the members on the advisability of amending the measure now in effect. Mr Berry will move as follows:

"That this House do forthwith resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the purpose of considering the following resolution:—

"That it is advisable, in the opinion of this House, that the Produce Marketing Act be amended, and that a bill be introduced to give effect to this resolution, and that Mr. Berry do prepare and bring in the said bill."

Okanagan Drowning

VERNON, Feb. 26.—Okanagan Lake claimed a victim last week under unusual circumstances. Charles Lestrange, forty-one, widower, who resided at Naples, on Wednesday last started from Timber Point on the lake towards Kelowna Landing for supplies. Residents saw the man shooted to him that the ice was unsafe, but he was hard of hearing. About 100 yards from the shore he disappeared. An attempt to launch a boat proved inactive and the body was not recovered until the following day, when the Canadian Pacific Railway tug Okanagan, Captain Reid, crashed through the ice and with grappling irons recovered the body in twenty-five feet of water.

Photographs Recall Red River Rebellion

JAMES Thomas, eighty-seven, veteran of the Red River Rebellion of 1870, recalls the halcyon days when, as a sapper in the Royal Engineers, he sought fame and glory in the early West to the rumble of the Red River wagons. First to enter Fort Garry at that interpretative period, he was also the last to leave and the only man to see Louis Riel, rebel leader, in the famous fort. Here are shown: (1) Fort Garry as it was at the time of the Red River expedition of 1870. (2) James Thomas, sapper with the Royal Engineers. (3) Shades of fallen comrades, in the sentimentary vestige of the old fort in Winnipeg. (4) Louis Riel's pillow, now used by James Thomas and (5) Dev's Pulpit, near where Mr. Thomas farmed for years in Frontenac.

Obituary

TROMBORROW—The funeral of William Tromborrow will be held from the Thomson Funeral Home at 11 o'clock on Thursday morning. Rev. Canon Davies officiating. Burial will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

COLES—There passed away at Shaughnessy Hospital, Vancouver, on February 23, Edwin Nelson Coles, aged forty-three years, born in Harbor Grace, Newfoundland, and a resident of this province for thirty-eight years. He leaves his widow, one daughter, Agnes, and his mother, in Vancouver, two brothers, in Victoria, one sister, Mrs Pike, in Victoria, and one sister, Mrs R. F. MacNaughton, of Courtenay, B.C. Mr Coles went Overseas with the First Canadian Mounts in the Spring of 1915, and served through the World War. The remains have been brought to Victoria for interment in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery, and are at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, from which the funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

JONES—There passed away on Monday, William Henry Jones, aged seventy-nine, born in Ontario, and a well-known resident of Victoria for many years. He was a member of the Victoria Typographical Union No. 391, to which he belonged for half a century, and had been a pensioner in the Victoria union. In 1913 he was a proofreader on The Colonist. He was also a member of the Prairie Club. The remains are at Hayward's B. C. Funeral Chapel, from which place the funeral will take place on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The funeral will be held under the auspices of the Typographical Union. Interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

MAWHINNEY—The remains of Dorothea Isabella Mawhinney, who died in Vancouver on Monday, have been brought to Victoria for interment, and are at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. The funeral will take place this afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. Interment will take place in Ross Bay Cemetery.

GRAVES—The remains of Mrs. Mary Gertrude Graves were laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery yesterday afternoon, the funeral taking place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. Rev. R. Connell officiating in the presence of a large number of friends, including members of various organizations of which the deceased was a member. The hymns sung were "Never My God to Thee" and "Immortal Love, For-ever Full." A solo was rendered by Mrs. I. Adams—"No Sight There." Numerous floral designs covered the coffin. The pallbearers were Messrs J. M. Campbell, F. W. Davis, W. Sheriffs, F. N. E. Shakespeare, Alderman E. S. Woodward and F. P. Rand.

WOODHOUSE—The funeral of Ellen Woodhouse will take place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev A. deB Owen will officiate. Interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

LINEHAM—The funeral of Frank Harvey Lineham, who died on Monday, will be held from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Dr. Sippreil will officiate. Interment will take place in Ross Bay Cemetery.

BRETHOUR—Funeral services for George James Stunn Brethour will be held from the home of his parents Mr and Mrs Julius Brethour Sidney, this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock Rev T. M. Hughes and Rev. M. W. Lees will officiate and the remains will be laid to rest in the family plot at Sidney.

SPRAGGE—The funeral of William Spragge took place yesterday morning from the Sands Funeral Chapel, proceeding to the Catholic Church, Sooke, where Rev. Father Wood conducted mass. The pallbearers were Messrs. M. C. Sandeman, M. Craigwaight, B. Brown and E. Reid. Interment was made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

SHARP—The funeral of Ellen Thomas Sharp, wife of Rev. William Sharp, of Roslyn, Wash., will take place this afternoon at 3 o'clock from McCall Bros' Funeral Home. Rev. O. L. Jull, rector of St. Mark's Church, will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

Who's Who in Making Laws Across James Bay

DR. HORACE C. WRINCH

The member for Skeena is a native of England, but has lived in Canada since the year 1880. Receiving his earlier education in the Old Land, Dr. Wrinch completed his course in Trinity Medical College in Toronto.

Coming to British Columbia he had a large part in the developing of the hospital at Hazelton, which has been under his charge for well on to thirty years.

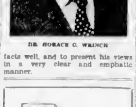
In 1924 Dr. Wrinch contested the seat which he represents in the Liberal interests, and was successful. He again won the seat in the late election, being one of the seven Liberals who as in the former House to come back to the Legislature after the appeal to the electorate.

Dr Wrinch is very highly esteemed among the members of the House. While he is an ardent Liberal in his convictions, the member for Skeena is able to throw aside his party feeling when he deems it to be in the interest of the country to do so. He prefers to view questions from the standpoint of their effect upon the general welfare of the province and the Dominion than from the narrow point of view of party advantage.

He has since he entered the House manifested a deep interest in the subject of state health insurance, and served on the special committee that investigated the matter in the last House. Situated in a section of the country where he is brought into close contact with the needs of the pioneer settlers he realizes what are requisite in this respect, and has very prominent convictions.

Dr. Wrinch is able to marshal his facts well, and to present his views in a very clear and emphatic manner.

The personally conducted all-expense tour to the Maritime Provinces, "The New Colonial Maritime Special" is one of the most complete and attractive tours of Canada's eastern provinces offered to the public. The tour will leave Toronto via Canadian National Railways special train, visiting Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, a steamer trip up the Saguenay River, thence by rail to the principal towns, cities and beauty spots of New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island. Special car will leave Vancouver June 13 and be attached to the train as Toronto. The trip will be under the direction of the "New Outlook," official publication of the United Church, and will be personally conducted by Mr. Phillis A. Bell. A beautifully illustrated booklet descriptive of the tour, has been published and a copy will gladly be sent to you free upon request, to City Ticket Office, 671 Government Street, telephone 1340 or write C. P. Earle, District Passenger Agent.



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Canadian Club Will Name 1929 Leaders Tonight

THE Men's Canadian Club of Victoria will elect the 1929 officers of the organization at the annual meeting which will be held tonight at 6 o'clock in the writing-room of the Empress Hotel. President Kenneth Ferguson will preside. The reports of the executive committee and the literary secretary will be presented, and plans for the year's programme formulated.

TRAINING WEEK TO BE HELD SOON

Will Be of Assistance to Sunday School Teachers and Church Workers

To provide means of training Sunday School teachers and other leaders in church work, a number of men and women representing several city churches, met last evening in the Young Women's Christian Association Building. Blanchard Street, and completed plans for a "Training Week" to be held from March 11 to 15, in Christ Church Cathedral Memorial Hall.

Arrangements were made for classes in all courses, and instructors chosen for each. Four courses will be provided by the Provincial Religious Education Council, as follows: Beginners and primary work, Mrs. A. Y. Paris; teen-age boys, Mr. Frank Foley; teen-age girls, Miss Anne Fountain; the church, Sunday school leadership training and organization, etc., Rev. E. H. McInnes. The two following courses have been suggested by the Diocesan Board of Religious Education of the Anglican Church: Teaching methods in the Sunday school, Rev. W. Simpson; missionary education, Mr. A. R. Morris.

The plan to be adopted is for ten class sessions in each subject to be held on five consecutive evenings. All classes will be held at the same hour, as it is understood that those who register will remain at the same class for the week and endeavor to complete the course selected. The following Programme for each night has suggested by the committee, opening with a fifteen-minute period in the auditorium, 7.30 to 7.45 p.m.: "The Devotional Life of the Teacher." Delegates will be allotted for each subject, meeting from 7.50 to 8.40 p.m. and from 8.45 to 9.35 p.m.

Registration forms, with details of the programme, will be available at the Y.W.C.A. building and also at the Memorial Hall, on Friday of this week. Final arrangements for the "Training Week" were referred to the chairman of the committee, Mr. A. R. Morris, and the secretary, Mrs. Margaret C. Wilkinson.

Noted Preacher Was Well Known On This Island

Brief telegraphic messages in The Colonist yesterday told of the death at the residence of his daughter, of Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, pastor emeritus of the Plymouth Congregational Church, Brooklyn, N.Y., at the age of seventy-one.

Dr Hillis had timber holdings in the Fort Renfrew district, which brought him to Victoria occasionally for several years; also two of his relatives operated in business here as real estate and timber agents.

He was a prolific writer, as well as a forceful preacher, and possessed a strong personality, which made his influence felt in Brooklyn for a generation. In war years he took a strong Allied position, as illustrated by his books, "German Atrocities" and "The Blot on the Kaiser's Escutcheon," and in 1919 he contributed to the reconstruction period "Rebuilding the Ruined Lands of Europe."

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Patient Offers $200,000 Gift to Found Clinic

LONDON, Feb. 26.—Sir Herbert Barker, a famous surgeon, who recently performed on a wealthy American a successful operation which cured a hip and spine affection of many years' standing, has been word from Italy that his patient has offered $200,000 with which to found a clinic for postgraduate surgery.

CLUE TO SEA TRAGEDY FOUND

PROVINCIAL POLICE DISCOVER LINCH PIN SOUTH END OF SIDNEY ISLAND

Joseph Nelson, Sidney Fisherman, and Owner of Craft, Has Been Missing for a Week

Little did Joseph Nelson, sixty-seven-year-old Sidney fisherman, think that he was going on his final sea voyage last Tuesday afternoon when he left Victoria for Sidney in his thirty-foot launch, but the finding yesterday of the launch by Constable Hadley, of the Provincial Police, near the south end of Sidney Island, bears much evidence of the apparent tragedy. With the engine at full speed ahead and the battery still on, the ship lies on the rocks today, where it is presumed to have run after its skipper had fallen overboard.

First information of the death ship was reported to Constable Tweedhope by officers of the Sir Charmer who sighted it through their glasses. Bergman, Owens, of the Provincial Police, was notified by Constable Tweedhope at 3 o'clock yesterday, and sent Constable Hadley to investigate.

Seaplanes, launches and land parties assisted in the search for Nelson, who has been missing since last Tuesday, but no trace of him or his launch was found. With the discovery of the craft yesterday by the Provincial Police, the search has for no means ended. As soon as day breaks today, efforts will be resumed to locate the body of the ill-fated mariner.

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MR. HAMMERSLEY DIES

LONDON, Feb. 26.—Alfred St. George Hammersley, eighty, who practised law in Canada and New Zealand for some years, died today. He was for some time legal adviser to the corporation of the city of Vancouver and the C.P.R., and was chairman and director of a number of industrial and other companies in British Columbia.

Despite his age, Mr Hammersley recruited and trained several heavy batteries for service overseas in the war and was commanding officer of a heavy artillery section in France. He played for England in international Rugby four times. He was Conservative M.P. for Woodstock, Oxford, from 1910 to 1918.

FUNERAL NOTICE

The members of the Pro Patria Branch of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., are requested to attend the funeral of our late comrade, Thomas Jones, at the Thomson Funeral Parlors today at 3 o'clock.

H. P. THORPE, Secretary.

I.O.O.F.

The members of Victoria Lodge No. 1 are requested to meet at the I.O.O.F. Hall on Douglas Street on Wednesday, 27th inst. at 2.30 p.m. for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Brother Thomley Jones.

ALEX McCABE, Recording Secretary.

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LATE MR. HERBERT BARKER

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MONTREAL HOLDUP

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Robbery of a chain grocery store in Notre Dame de Grace, half an hour previously, was believed to have been carried out by the same two men.

Dinner Planned For Anniversary Is Taking Shape

Definite steps are now being taken by the committee in charge of the "Birthday of the Province" anniversary dinner, set for March 11, to advance the arrangements and to invite the speakers. The date is taken from the proclamation of Governor Blanshard in 1850.

SCOW SINKS WITH PULPWOOD CARGO

Work will commence today at Cadboro Bay on salvaging the cargo of pulpwood dumped into the sea when a scow foundered off the bay on Monday evening.

In tow of a Vancouver Tugboat Company's tug the scow was being taken to the mills at Port Angeles when for some unknown reason it sank, precipitating the wood into the sea.

BAYS OUT TO RETAIN LEAD

Will Battle Saanich United at Beacon Hill Today in Important Soccer Match

RENNIE & TAYLOR TO OPPOSE NAVY

Midweek soccer fixtures carded for today are as follows:

Rennie & Taylor vs. Navy at the Royal Athletic Park.

Saanich United vs Hudson's Bay, at Beacon Hill.

Kick-offs at 2.45 o'clock.

The Hudson's Bay, present league leaders by a single point over the bakers, will be out at full strength in an effort to humble Saanich United when these teams clash at Beacon Hill. However, Teddy Hawkes, who manages the United, has visions of his boys upsetting the leaders.

At the Royal Athletic Park the bakers and the sailors will be expected to put up an interesting battle.

The teams are as follows:

Rennie & Taylor—Geddes, Gilbert, Newman, O. Davis, Tupman, D. Stewart, Taylor, Haggen, Wright, Nex and Davies.

Hudson's Bay—P. C. Shrimpton, Gardiner, Armstrong, Kirchin, Woodley, Oakman, Addie, Fish, Clerk, Mair and Hanson.

Saanich United — Tooby, Main, Ash, Stonier, Mair, Barry, Bundock, Love, Parry, Hawkes and Ralph.

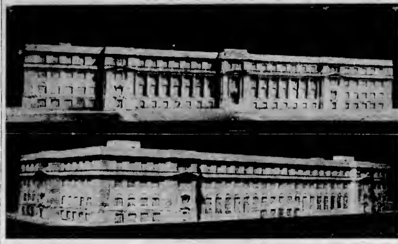
Gen. Smuts States Party Policy on Native Question

CAPETOWN, South Africa, Feb. 26 (C.P. Cable via Reuter's).—Following the defeat of the Government's attempt to pass the Natives Parliamentary Representation Bill through a joint session of the Houses of Parliament yesterday, General Jan Christian Smuts, Opposition leader, has announced his intention to seek a solution of the native problem along the path of mutual agreement.

Former Premier Smuts asserted today the economic aspects of the question were more compelling and urgent than the political.

"A policy must be gradually shaped which shall be based on both principles of justice and maintain racial peace and good feeling between the white and native populations," he said. Consequently the South African party has adopted the policy of holding a national convention or an enlarged royal commission, which would consider the native question in all angles, consulting all shades of opinion. Leaders of all political parties would be asked to co-operate in such a convention to be called as soon as possible after the coming general election if the South African party is returned to power, General Smuts said.

National Industrial Research Building



TENDERS are to be called for the National Research Laboratories at once, according to an announcement made by Dr. H. M. Tory, of the National Research Council. Above are two pictures showing, top, the front of the new building, and bottom, the rear of the building, taken from a model made by Sproatt & Rolph, the architects. This new research building, which will be 414 feet long and cost no less than $2,000,000, is to be erected on property in Ottawa overlooking the Ottawa River, and close to "Earnscliffe," which was once the residence of Sir John A. Macdonald.

City & District

Agricultural Committee—The agricultural committee of the Legislature will meet the Fraser Valley Milk Producers on Friday morning, when it is expected that they will present a bill governing the marketing of their product.

Delegation From New Westminster—A delegation from New Westminster was in the city on Monday, composed of Aldermen Hogg and Fenton, with Mayor Gray, M.P.P., to discuss several matters including the proposed paving of the south side of Columbia Street, opposite Albert Crescent.

Building Permits—Permits were issued by City Building Inspector James Barf at the City Hall yesterday to Mr. H. M Cowper for construction of a seven-roomed stucco dwelling and garage at 58 Howe Street, at a cost of $4,300, and to Mr. P. Thompsett for the building of a five-roomed stucco dwelling at 1219 Chapman Street, to cost $2,800.

St. Lawrence Waterway — The members of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club gathered at the Uplands on Saturday evening to hear a very interesting address by Lieutenant F. A. Mills, R.N.V.R. The topic of his address was "The St. Lawrence Deep Waterways Project." Other addresses and subjects have been chosen, and will be heard at the club until the yachting season is opened.

Vancouver Police Chief Here—Chief of Police W. J Bingham, of Vancouver, was in the city yesterday to see Hon. R. H. Pooley, Attorney-General. At a luncheon to him tendered by the insurance, financial and real estate bureau of the Vancouver Board of Trade on Monday, Mr. Bingham said his objective was to duplicate in Vancouver the Metropolitan Police Force in miniature. He requested support for the police department in attaining that end.

Municipal Committee—The municipal committee of the Legislature wound up its business yesterday morning after recommending several minor changes in the Municipal Act, which are of purely local interest to the Mainland districts applying for the amendments. All the committee's recommendations have been either forwarded to the various ministers for consideration or drafted into amendments to the Municipal Act, to be presented to the House in the form of an amending bill.

Entertains Press Gallery—His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor entertained at luncheon yesterday the members of the Legislative Press Gallery. In addition to His Honor there were present Hon. S. L. Howe, Provincial Secretary; Mr. J. Edward Norcross, of The Vancouver Star; Mr R. A. McKelvie, of The Vancouver Province; Mr Norman Senior, of The Vancouver Sun; Messrs. O. H. Nelson and Percy Richards, of The Colonist, Messrs. Bruce Hutchison and F. J. Merriman, of The Times, Mr C. H. Gibbons, and Mr. A. M. D. Fairbairn, secretary to His Honor.

Victorian Named — Mr. Harry Beach, a member of the Victoria Kiwanis Club, has been appointed by the Pacific Northwest Kiwanis district as chairman of the On-to-Salem committee, President J. Brooke Stephenson stated at yesterday's meeting of the local Kiwanis organization. The 1929 convention of the Pacific Northwest Kiwanis district will be held at Salem, Oregon, and the Victoria club and Mr. Beach have been honored by his appointment to the post of chairman of the district committee.

Desires Information—Mr. Thomas Johnson, a resident of the Aged Miners' Home, at 2 Oliver Street, Quebec, County Durham, England, has written to The Colonist seeking information of his brother, Mr. Henry Featherstone Johnson, who left England on June 4, 1920, arriving in Vancouver on June 18 of that year. Since then no communication has been received from him by his brother, who is anxious to get in touch with him because of family affairs which await settlement.

Under the League Table

Streseman: "This fellow's had his feet constantly under my seat, and I'm obliged to tread on his toes!"

—Kladderadatsch, Berlin

TWO BABIES DROWN IN SHALLOW WATER

PORT HANEY, Feb. 26.—The double drowning through the ice of two infant sisters here, the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. "Pat" Carr, has plunged this community into grief.

The children, Margaret (five) and Reta (three) were sliding on the surface of a small pond about 300 yards from their home about 4 o'clock Monday afternoon, when the ice gave way under their weight and they were left struggling in the water.

A neighbor's child, about six years old, who was playing with them at the time, rushed panic-stricken to her mother.

"Margaret and Reta are crying in the water," she shouted.

On arriving at the spot the woman found a gaping black hole in the surface of the pond. Both children had disappeared.

When the alarm was spread, searchers soon gathered and the ice was broken over a large area of what is little more than a wayside ditch. Some of the rescue party waded into the icy water, which was not more than three or four feet deep, but it was a considerable time before the bodies were recovered.

Announcements

Do not be distressed over the condition of your face, even if disfigured for twenty or thirty years. A complete cure may be achieved if you will only do your part in taking the necessary treatments. Do not delay. Consult Miss Hanman, 503 Sayward Building.

The Brotherhood Lodge of the Theosophical Society, reading room and library opening daily 2 to 4.30, 223 Pemberton Building.

Junior Chamber To Hold Clean-Up Drive Here

THE week of Monday, March 11, to Saturday, March 16, inclusive, was definitely set as the Clean-Up and Paint-Up Week for 1929, by the Junior Chamber of Commerce yesterday, following interviews with local merchants. A special committee of the Junior Chamber, comprised of Messrs. George Beck, Cecil May, H. Crisford and Robert A. Wootton, was appointed to conduct arrangements for the third annual clean-up campaign to be sponsored by the Junior Chamber.

NEW APPOINTMENTS AT U.B.C. ANNOUNCED

VANCOUVER, Feb. 26. — Dr. Blythe Eagles, former University of British Columbia student, who won the Governor-General's medal when he obtained his B.A. degree, was among three newcomers to University staff posts, whose appointments were confirmed by the board of governors on Monday night.

Dr Eagles will become assistant professor of dairying. He obtained his doctor's degree from the University of Toronto.

The other appointments are to the departments of history and economics. A. C. Cooke, a graduate of the University of Manitoba, who has obtained his B.A. and M.A. degrees from Oxford, will become an assistant in history. He is at present teaching in the history department of Wesley College, Winnipeg.

O. F. Drummond, who is at present preparing his doctorate thesis at the London School of Economics, will become assistant professor in the department of economics. He has been graduated from St. Andrews University and the University of London with the degrees of M.A. and M.Sc.

A leave of absence extending from September, 1929, to July, 1930, was given to Thorlief Larsen, associate professor of English. Mr. Larsen will spend the leave, it is stated, at Oxford.

The resignation of Dr P. A. Child, assistant professor of English, was accepted.

BRITISH M.P. DIES

LONDON, Feb. 26.—A fifth vacancy in the House of Commons was created by the death today of A. E. Jacob, Conservative, East Toxteth, Liverpool. He was elected in 1924 with 16,139 votes to 6,620 for C. Burden, Labor, and 4,163 for F. C. Bowring, Liberal.

Other vacancies for which by-elections are pending are North Lanark, Bath, Holland and Eddisbury, Cheshire. All five are constituencies that returned Conservatives in 1924.

Mr Jacob, a native of Ireland, was seventy-one years old. He had represented the riding only during the recent Parliament.

Indians on Liard Show Lawlessness; New Police Post

EDMONTON, Feb. 26.—With reports of fresh lawlessness on the part of the Cassiar and Sikanni tribesmen reaching the ears of the Mounted Police, it has been decided to establish an R.C.M.P. post at Fort Liard this Summer, it is announced by Major James Ritchie, superintendent of the force at Edmonton.

Indians in this country, which is the extreme southwest corner of the Northwest Territories, gained notoriety some years ago, following tales of orgies at which human sacrifices were made. The tribesmen are also said to have indulged in the practice of witchcraft, away back in lonely canyons. Reports stated that two Indians "found guilty" of bringing misfortune on the tribe had been lashed naked to stakes in below zero weather, and water poured over their bodies until they turned into statues of ice. A police investigation was made at that time.

In this case, however, Major Ritchie explained, it is reports of the beaver being killed off that have determined the police to have a post at the Old Fort at the junction of the Liard and Pettitot Rivers.

Fort Liard is 220 miles up the Liard from its mouth at Fort Simpson, and a H.B.C. launch makes the trip each year from Simpson, on the Mackenzie River to Fort Nelson, 372 miles up the Liard and the head of navigation.

The detachment will go in with the launch, some time in June.

TORONTO GIRL WINS BY WIDE MARGIN AT DEL MONTE TOURNEY

DEL MONTE, Feb. 26.—With few exceptions, the favorites all won their first round matches easily in the annual Pebble Beach women's golf tournament here today.

The most marked upset was the defeat of Mrs. F. C. Burrowes, Long Island, N.Y., star, by Mrs. J. M. Young, of San Francisco, 3 and 1.

Mrs. Robert Ross, of San Francisco, won easily from Mrs. Hubert Law, San Francisco, 7-6. Mrs. O. E. Riegel, of Spokane, who won medal honors yesterday with a 95, defeated Mrs. Howard Keefer, San Diego, 1 up. Miss Kahterine Christie, Toronto, defeated Mrs. Frank More, San Francisco, 9-8.

HOCKEY RESULTS

TORONTO, Feb. 26.—Kitchener's Flying Dutchmen last night defeated Niagara Falls, 6-1, and went into third place in the Canadian Pro Hockey League standings. In the other game of the evening, London lost to Hamilton, 2-1.

THE STANDINGS

Team—	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts
Detroit	34	22	8	4	46
Windsor	32	18	10	4	40
Kitchener	33	15	15	3	33
Buffalo	33	13	14	6	32
Millionaires	31	14	13	4	32
London	32	13	17	2	28
Niagara Falls	32	11	19	2	24
Hamilton	34	11	21	2	24

TULSA, Okla., Feb. 26.—Tulsa advanced to a tie with Minneapolis and St. Paul for second place in the American Hockey Association standing when they defeated Kansas City, 2-0, here last night.

We know a member of the younger generation who declined an invitation to attend a horse show recently, on the ground that he'd already seen a horse.—San Diego Union.

St. Paul's, Esquimalt — Services regularly during Lent on Wednesdays at 7.30 p.m.

Young Wife (tearfully): "I don't see why y-y-you should be so cruel j-j-just because I m-m-made the pudding of soapflakes instead of rice flakes!"

—The Humorist, London.

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DEATHS IN BRITAIN

LONDON, Feb. 26.—Lady Mark Cooke, noted benefactor of Doncaster and district, was one of a number of outstanding persons whose deaths were reported in Great Britain today. Others included Sir John Towse, formerly clerk to the Fishmongers Company, Phillip G. Vertain, Oxford rowing man, and T. A. Edge, race horse owner and journalist.

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MR. A. W. NEILL CHECKS MOVE FOR SECRECY

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Every day at 3 o'clock Mr Speaker prayed that the members of the House be delivered from temptation. Perhaps that prayer should be renewed every evening at 8 o clock. There was danger that a member might speak one way on the hustings and vote another way in committees.

SERIOUS PROPOSAL

The committee had no Hansard and the light of publicity was not thrown on them. The second part of the report was even more serious. There was to be no discussion and amendment on third reading. The two sittings of the House allotted to each bill on second reading might be taken up by those in favor of the measure and no opportunity would be given for those who wished to criticise it.

It was true that obstruction had been employed last year in connection with certain bills, but because a small number of bills suffered from obstruction was no reason why a great many should go through without proper discussion.

DEBATE ADJOURNED

An appropriate remedy for that situation was to put on the closure. There were objections to the closure, but it was not nearly so objectionable as the method now being suggested.

Because, he for one had had no intimation given him of the discussion precipitated by the introduction of this matter, Mr. Neill moved adjournment of the debate to give an opportunity to members to consider it further.

Hon J. W Edwards, Conservative, seconded the motion for adjournment, which carried.

House Opened With Colorful Ceremony

THE above layout shows the Parliament Buildings of New Brunswick, at Fredericton, and six of the principals at the opening of the Legislature on February 21. This was the first session to be opened by the new Lieutenant-Governor of the Province, His Honor General MacLean. Top: Left, Premier J. B. M. Baxter; right, Hon. A. A. Dysart, Leader of the Opposition. Bottom: Left to right, M. E. Agar, M.P.P., mover of the Address in Reply to the Speech from the Throne; E. W. Melville, seconder of the Address, and Hon. J. L. O'Brien, Speaker of the Legislature. Centre: His Honor General MacLean, Lieutenant-Governor of New Brunswick.

OHIO STREAMS FLOOD CITIES

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traffic. The city returned to normal slowly tonight after a day in which almost all business was suspended and all but one of the town's schools were closed.

RESCUED BY ROWBOATS

Hundreds of persons living in the Buck Creek Valley were rescued by fifty rowboats after they attracted attention by shooting guns and ringing bells. Two of the three pumps at the waterworks, put out of commission by the high waters, were back in operation tonight, and electric service was again available. Traction service was resumed after the water receded from the streets.

Twelve persons who had gone to an island at the mouth of Rocky River, near Cleveland, to gaze at an ice jam, were placed in grave danger when the jam suddenly broke as preparations were being made to dynamite it. The rushing water crushed against the island and threatened to destroy a dance hall, where the twelve persons took refuge, but suddenly receded and made possible rescue of the marooned.

Throughout the southern part of the state the inflated streams brought to mind the flood stages of 1913, when several hundred lives were lost in the Miami River Valley. Several localities reported higher stages today than in 1913.

At Hamilton more than 100 persons were taken from their homes in the lowlands districts when the Miami went over its banks. Marooned farmers were taken to safety during the day, but towards evening the water began to recede.

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$500,000 Plant For Creosoting At Port Moody

VANCOUVER, Feb. 26.—Construction of a $500,000 creosote plant with waterfront facilities to permit loading of deep sea ships will be begun at Port Moody shortly, according to plans of the Alberta Wood Preserving Co., Ltd., of Calgary.

A site for the plant has been obtained on waterfront property obtained from the port authority and from the Canadian Pacific Railway, according to A. K. Leith, president of the Alberta organization. The plant will employ between 150 and 200 men and will supply creosoted ties and timbers for both domestic and foreign markets.

Air Mail Service To Be Extended To Arctic Fringe

EDMONTON, Feb. 26.—C. H. "Punch" Dickens, of the Western Canada Airways Ltd., will inaugurate this week an air mail service to the fringe of the Arctic Circle.

The new flying programme calls for a flight to Wrigley, Fort Norman and Fort Good Hope.

There are around 275 pounds of mail at Fort McMurray, while an additional 1,280 pounds are at Fort Smith. On this trip, Dickens will carry the mail in his Fokker monoplane a distance of 1,300 miles from Fort McMurray to Fort Good Hope, the later fort being just three posts from Aklavik.

Jugoslavia and Bulgaria Agree To Make Friends

PIROT, Jugoslavia, Feb. 26.—Bulgaria and Jugoslavia, traditional Slav enemies, shook hands yesterday through their official delegates in this little frontier town and agreed to bury the enmities of the past. Members of the joint Serbo-Bulgarian commission sent here to settle all outstanding disputes, at their first meeting today spoke in the warmest terms of the brotherhood of the two peoples and expressed confidence that the opening of the frontier would prove the first step to genuine friendship.

Central Council Of Conservatives Elects Chairman

LONDON, Feb. 26.—Gwilyn Rowlands, a working man, was unanimously elected chairman of the Central Council of the National Union of Conservative and Unionist associations today, in succession to Colonel John Gretton, millionaire member of the House of Commons.

Rowlands, who holds the order of a companion of the British Empire, and is a justice of the peace, started work in the colliery at the age of sixteen. He is the prospective Conservative candidate in Pontypool in the coming general elections.

A fool there was and he saved his rocks, even as you and I, but he took them out of the old strong box when a salesman called with some wild-cat stocks, and the fool was stripped down to his socks, even as you and I.

James J. Davis, secretary of the United States Department of Labor, stopped at a steel mill in Youngstown one day to make a speech. In the course of it he paid his respects to persons who lay down formulas and make rates for the working man without having any personal knowledge of the conditions under which he works. Later the secretary went through the mills with a group of men, including one who had worked side by side with him as an iron puddler at Sharon, Pa., thirty years before. When they came into the rolling mill where huge steel ingots are reduced to plates, rails and other shapes, this man decided to have a little fun.

"You used to be a pretty good man at this sort of thing, Jim," he said, "but I'll bet you couldn't put an ingot on the rolls today to save your neck."

Quick as thought, Secretary Davis began to peel off his clothing until he was stripped to the waist. The operation he was dared to attempt is performed with a long iron bar, but nevertheless the heat is intense. It calls for a quick flip of wrists and shoulders, and if the power is not applied at exactly the right spot, anything may happen.

"How's this?" asked Mr. Davis, and promptly flipped the ingot onto the rails.

"Do that again," said an Irishman with a rich brogue, "and I'll vote the Republican ticket."

"You do it once after a quarter of a century lay-off," came back the secretary, "and I'll vote the Democratic ticket."

"You said you want me to give your friend literary work? Is he an optimist or a pessimist?"

"What difference does that make?"

"It makes a lot of difference. I want him to edit a seed catalogue."

Burgess Bedtime Stories

The Mouse Family Is Broken Up

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

"Did you ever see anything like the way those children grow?" said Nanny Meadow Mouse to Danny.

"I never did," replied Danny. "Why, they're only a month old and are nearly as big as we are now. There is no doing anything with them. They know all there is to know. Only this evening I found one of them sitting on top of the snow out beyond the haystack. It is a wonder that Spooky the Screech Owl hadn't been along. But I couldn't tell him anything. No sir, I couldn't tell him anything. He knew it all. He told me he was quite capable of taking care of himself."

"I know," said Nanny. "Most folks think babies are a great care, but I think half-grown children are a greater care. And I don't know but they are more trouble still when they are quite grown. It seems to me they are very different from what they were when you and I were young, Danny."

Danny nodded his head in agreement. "They certainly are," said he. "They have lost all respect for their elders. They dont know what obedience is and you cannot tell them anything at all. Well, I suppose times are changing."

Nanny had just opened her mouth to reply when something happened. There was a great noise outside. The haystack began to rock above their heads. Danny and Nanny forgot about the children. They crept into their home and crowded close together while they listened. They knew what the sounds were. The sounds were the voices of those two-legged creatures called men. But what could be happening they couldn't imagine. No, sir, they couldn't imagine what could be happening. Somehow, it seemed as if their little world were coming to an end.

Suddenly they felt themselves being picked up. Their whole home was being picked up. They could do nothing but cling to each other. It was very upsetting, to say the least. And yet there was something familiar about the experience. Danny groped about in his mind trying to think what it was. Finally it came to him. By this time things had become quiet again, but they had the feeling that somehow the whole world was moving.

The hay was on a wagon on runners

"Do you remember the time we built our home in the corn shock?" whispered Danny.

"Yes," replied Nanny, "what of it?"

"Dou you remember how Farmer Brown's Boy came down and got the corn and our home with it and carried us off up to the big barn?" continued Danny.

"Yes," replied Nanny.

"Well, don't you have something of the same feeling now?" demanded Danny.

Nanny gave a startled little squeak. "Oh, my goodness, it's as true as you live!" she exclaimed. "You don't suppose we are being carried off, do you?"

"I don't know," replied Danny. "Time will tell." Anyway, I guess the family is broken up. It's probably a good thing for them and a better thing for us. It's the way of the world. I do wish I knew where we were, but somehow I don't dare go out."

Now, Danny wasn't so very wrong in his guess. The haystack had disappeared. The hay was on a wagon on runners and Farmer Brown's Boy was taking it up to the barn. It was hay that was going to be used for bedding.

(Copy't 1929, by T. W. Burgess)

The next story: "Where Danny's Family Had Gone."

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MR. CHURCHILL ON DEFENSIVE

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was announced that the payments would be made.

PREMIER ABSENT

Today Premier Baldwin was again out of the House, and Mr. Churchill arose to reply to a question addressed to the Premier about the loyalist claims.

He was greeted with a roar of ironical cheers from the Labor benches.

"I have been asked to reply," Mr. Churchill began, amid laughter. After a pause, he continued: "That the total sum paid Irish loyalists was $5,210,000, and the additional sum required to meet the award in full will be $1,490,000."

"Will the Government supply a list of the amounts claimed before coming to the House again with the matter?" asked Tom Williams, Labor, Don Valley.

Mr. Churchill demurred and said the question raised a new issue. He should have notice of it.

REASON FOR CHANGE

Another Laborite wanted to know if the facts on which the Government had come to change its point of view would be given to the House. Mr. Churchill persisted that the question was irrevelant.

"Answer, answer," came a chorus of shouts from the Opposition. "I am perfectly willing to answer, but I must have notice," Mr. Churchill retorted. Tom Williams tried again and asked: "If I put a question down with regard to the claims, will he reply to it?"

"I am bound to reply," Mr. Churchill returned blandly, "but not necessarily in the way the honorable gentleman wishes."

Canadian Rover Awaits Orders For Future Use

VANCOUVER, Feb. 26.—Repairs on Ss. Canadian Rover, which have been carried out at the Burrard Drydock Company, have been completed and the ship is lying there awaiting orders.

B. C. Keeley, Pacific Coast manager of the Canadian National Steamships, Ltd., has been called to Montreal for a conference with the company officials and left Monday. It is understood that, in addition to the question of intercoastal Canadian services, the matter of the continued maintenance of the California service, and the establishing of a West Coast of South America, and perhaps revival of New Zealand and Australian lumber services will be discussed.

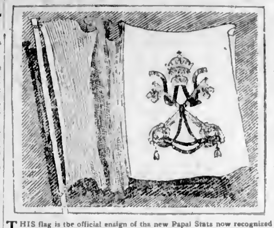
Mistress: "What a long time you've been, Jane. Didn't you hear me ring?"

Servant: "No, mum. Not till the third time."

Pretty Nurse—"Every time I take that patient's pulse it gets faster. What shall I do?"

Doctor—"Blindfold him."

Flag of Vatican City



THIS flag is the official ensign of the new Papal State now recognized by Italy. The half of the flag on the side nearest the flagstaff is gold. The triple crown of St. Peter and the keys of St. Peter, shown on the white half of the field, are blue. The ribbons are purple.

DIVORCE COURT BILL DEFEATED AT OTTAWA

OTTAWA, Feb. 26.—The bill to establish divorce courts in the Province of Ontario was defeated in the House of Commons tonight. The vote stood: Yeas, 65; nays, 99. The division was taken at the end of the hour devoted to private members' business. The vote was on the second reading.

Native Sons of B.C.

Victoria Post No. 1, Native Sons of British Columbia, will hold a get-to-gether social meeting tonight at 8 o'clock, in the Sons of England Hall, Broad Street, opposite The Colonist. A good programme has been arranged by a special committee under the chairmanship of Dr. Charles Mess, and all honorary, as well as present and former members of the post, are invited to attend.

A meeting of the executive of the post will be held tonight at 7:15 o'clock, in the same hall, preceding the social function.

TREMOR RECORDED

Yesterday, in the small hours of the morning, earthquake shocks of about one hour's duration were recorded upon the Seattle seismographs. Dean Henry Landes, head of the College of Science, gave it as his opinion that the centre of the disturbance was some 1,100 miles distant.

A small tremor was recorded on the instrument at Gonzales Observatory this morning. Superintendent Napier Denison estimates that the centre of the disturbance is about 2,000 miles away, probably in the Aleutian Islands.

There may be splinters in the ladder of success, but you don't notice them unless you're sliding down.

QUEEN GOES SHOPPING

BOGNOR, Eng., Feb. 26.—The Queen created quite a sensation yesterday on a shopping tour by paying a visit to a "five-and-ten-cent" store and making several sixpenny (twelve cents) purchases.

When Her Majesty arrived the surprised customers present immediately departed so as to give her an opportunity to inspect the premises, undisturbed. She was shown around by the manager and chatted with the girls behind the counters.

Her Majesty showed especial interest in some three penny and sixpenny "pearl" necklaces, and smiled when the manager pointed out their "gold" clasps.

EMPRESS OF JAPAN SOON TO HAVE CHILD

TOKIO, Feb. 26.—The newspapers say that the Empress Nagako will shortly become a mother. Juchi Iwase, professor of obstetrics at Tokio University, at present in Berlin, has been recalled by cable to Japan.

Emperor Hirohito and Empress Nagako already have two children, both daughters.

Little Girl (rushing into Doctor's office): "Please, Doctor, come at once to father. Mother's taken 'is temperature an' it's gone down."

Doctor—"That's all right, my dear—that's splendid."

Lady Visitor: "That new girl of yours seems nice and quiet."

Mistress: "Yes, she's very quiet. She doesn't even disturb the dust when she's cleaning the room."

"This one's on me," said the gentleman from Aberdeen as he spilled his whisky on his waistcoat.

PRESBYTERY IS OPENED

Presbytery of Victoria Has Begun Semi-Annual Convention—Many Matters to Be Discussed

The semi-annual meeting of the Presbytery of Victoria opened yesterday evening in St. Andrew's Church, the moderator, Rev. Samuel Lundie, B.A., presiding in the chair.

Representatives from the country charges as well as from the local congregations were present, and a number of visitors, including Rev. Dr. Douglas and Rev. D. A. Smith, were also in attendance.

A message was read from the British Settlement Society of Canada to ministers, elders, and managers of the Presbyterian Church in the Dominion, which asked for their co-operation in bringing settlers from the Old Country to Canada. In 1928 the total number of people brought to Canada under the auspices of the society was 618. The Presbytery of Victoria will give the matter full consideration.

The Presbytery expressed its warm appreciation of the work done during the past year by the Victoria Presbyterial of the W.M.S. The membership of this body now amounts to 141, with an average attendance of 105, an increase in membership of nineteen over the year 1927. These figures do not include the membership of Y.W.A. or Mission Bands.

This first session of the court was mainly occupied with routine work, and Mr. Thomas Humphries had not finished reading the correspondence when the moderator gave the blessing and the court adjourned. The presbytery continues in session at 9.30 a.m. today.

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Bridge Party Held

The Junior Auxiliary to the Jubilee Hospital was responsible for a bridge and mah jong party yesterday afternoon in the Blue Room at the hospital, the affair proving an outstanding success both socially and financially. A number of guests were welcomed at tea time, and among those present were Mrs. M A McDonald, Mrs H Shandley, Mrs. H. Stevens, Mrs. William Bell, Mrs. E. P F Roe, Mrs. J. P Campbell, Mrs. Russell Hanshall, Mrs. J. A. Walker, Mrs J. J. Collison, Mrs. W. E. Staneland, Mrs. Cusack, Mrs. G. A. Richardson, Mrs. C. Hoard, Mrs. Duncan Campbell, Mrs. Lightbody, Mrs. Ferris (Edmonton); Mrs. Redpath, Miss Cox, Miss Tate, Mrs. Jellett, Mrs. L. G. Herchmer, Mrs. H. B Bate, Mrs. J. H. McLoughlin, Mrs. G. J. Jackson, Mrs. J. R Hingham, Mrs. A. A. Meharey, Mrs. G. J. Weller, Mrs. Brooke Stephenson, Mrs. P. A. Irving, Mrs. A. Stuart Robertson, Mrs C W Rhodes, Mrs. Bannerman Campbell, Mrs. C. F. Earle, Mrs. J. Sherratt, Mrs. H N. Cowper, Mrs. R. H. Green, Mrs. W A. Gailliher, Mrs H P. Hodges, Mrs T Burns, Mrs. Hagar Mrs. J. H Emary, Mrs. Hargraves, Mrs. Gunning, Mrs. J. D McNiven, Miss Alice Cotton, Miss Kathleen Clay, Miss Norah Wilson, Miss Mary Campbell, Miss Mona Miller, Miss Margaret Campbell, Mrs Crowe, Mrs. D. Ross, Mrs P Elliott, Mrs. A. McDermott, Mrs William Haldane, Miss Helen Forman, Mrs. L. M. Hughes, Mrs. Andrew Gray, Mrs. David Miller, Mrs. Oliver Pauline, Miss Norma Macdonald, Mrs Gordon Cameron, Mrs. D. Matthias (Port William), Mrs. E. Housley, Mrs. J. E. Lane, Mrs. J R. Angus, Mrs. R. Kingham, Mrs. Woolliston, Miss C. Woolliston, Mrs. D. S. Martyn, Mrs. J. Clearihue, Miss Helen MacIntosh, Miss Christine McLimont, Miss Ena Short, Miss Helen Wilson, Mrs. Chisholm Fraser, Miss Anna McBride, Miss Marjorie Fraser, Mrs. Hugh Peters, and Miss Jean McLaren.

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Entertain Friends

Among the many smart teas given recently for wives of Cabinet ministers and members was that at which Mrs. R. R. Maitland, Sr., entertained at her home at the Willingdon Apartments. Her guests included Lady McBride, Mrs. S. F. Tolmie, Mrs. S. L. Howe, Mrs. R H Pooley, Mrs. W Atkinson, Mrs. F. P Burden, Mrs. W A. McKenzie, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Sturrock and Miss Ryall.

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Announce Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Rich, 561 Alpha Street, announce the marriage of their youngest daughter, Violet, to Mr. Howard Newell, second son of Mr. and Mrs. S. F Newell, 1203 Whittaker Street. The marriage took place last Saturday.

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Luncheon Hostess

Mrs. C. C. Bennett entertained at a luncheon yesterday at the Oak Bay Hotel in honor of Mrs Sutherland Brown. Covers were laid for twelve.

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To Leave for England

Miss C Alexander, St. David Street, Oak Bay, expects to leave for England next Saturday.

A dance will be held in Lake Hill Community Hall this evening under the management of the social committee. A three-piece orchestra will provide music for dancing from 9 to 1 o'clock and refreshments will be served.

Local Artists Delight Audience at Concert

A concert of unusual merit was given last evening at the Metropolitan United Church under the auspices of the Women's Educational Auxiliary of the United Church. Varied in character, the programme was one of great interest, each performer receiving applause. Mr. Edward Parsons opened the programme with an organ solo, "Festive March" (Smart), followed by a soprano solo, "Goin' Home," sung by Mrs Arthur Dowell, who in the absence of Mrs. W H. Wilson, gave several extra numbers. As an encore she sang "Danny Boy." "Chanson Provencale" (E. Dell' Acqua), and "Thoughts Have Wings," were also sung by Mrs Dowell, who is always a favorite with Victoria audiences. Mr Percy Edmunds, baritone, sang with great feeling Shield's "The Wolf," to which an encore was given. Mr. Frank Tupman, tenor, gave as his numbers, "Oh, My Love" (Burleigh), "Phyllis Has Such Charming Graces" (Lane Wilson) and an encore. To Miss Dorothy Morton, who acted as accompanist through the programme, much praise is due.

The Misses Mary and Adele Bucklin and Mr. Edward Parsons gave one of the outstanding numbers, playing a group of three 'cello, violin and organ trios, "Adagio" (Schubert); "Romance" (Hummel) and "Song of India" as an encore.

Mrs. Wilfrid Ord gave three scenes from Dickens' "Tale of Two Cities," the scene between Sydney Carton and Lucy Mannette, Carton and Darnley in the prison scene, and the final scene.

"Newsies" Entertained By Men's Club

Newsboys' Night was arranged last evening by the Men's Club of the Fairfield United Church, and newsboys from The Colonist, The Times, The Vancouver Province and The Vancouver Sun, numbering nearly fifty, spent a most enjoyable evening. Basketball and other games occupied the early part of the entertainment, and a sumptuous supper was served. Speeches were made by Rev. Hugh Nixon and by Dr. M. W Thomas, president of the Men's Club. Rousing cheers for their hosts were given by the boys, who expressed great enjoyment of the evening. Before leaving, the boys were offered the use of the gymnasium at any time, the suggestion, made by the pastor, being received with renewed cheers.

Ganges Personals

Col. C. C. Bennett, of Victoria, is spending a few weeks at Ganges, a guest at Harbor House.

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Mrs. T Charlesworth left on Saturday for a few days' visit to Victoria, where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. E. Ley.

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Mrs H. G. Allen, of Ganges, has left for a two weeks' visit to Port Angeles, where she will be the guest of her son, Mr. Fred Allen.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Borradaile, of Ganges, left for Vancouver on Saturday to meet their son, Mr Jack Borradaile, who will arrive on Monday from the Old Country.

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Mr. Harold Price, of "Merseide," left on Monday for a few days' visit to Vancouver, where he will attend a meeting of the B C Jersey Breeders' Association.

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Dr Bryant, of Pulford Harbor, has returned home after a visit to Ganges, where she was the guest of Mr and Mrs. Frank Crofton.

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After a week or two at Ganges, where she was the guest of Mr and Mrs. Fred Crofton, Mr Graham Shove returned to Vancouver on Friday.

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Mrs. T. M. Jackson was hostess at a delightful tea party last Saturday afternoon, when she entertained several friends at her home, "Swallowfield," Pulford Harbor. Those present included Dr. Bryant, Mrs. A. J Eaton, Mrs. W J. Stewart, Mrs. Pearse, Mrs. D. Cassell, Mrs. Lacey, Mrs. Davis, Miss Wright, Miss E Gropp, and others.

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Impressions of New Fashions for South

ALMOST every shop window into which one gazes on the broad avenue these January days is a gay display of charming wearables to fill the needs of those fortunates journeying to the Southland.

Checkered ginghams made into crisp little frocks and ensembles fairly compete for the interest of the passerby who usually is wont to linger long before displays of beautiful and shimmering evening things.

Cottons are so freely used in fascinating daytime styles that one wonders if there will be a cotton conquest over silk for Spring and Summer sports. As the Southern twig of fashions is bent the Spring tree inclines. So attractively are cotton fabrics employed in smart designs that women bound for sunny climes are buying literally dozens of these easily laundered dresses and costumes.

Medium-sized checks and small plaids in ginghams are handled in much the same way as the jacket costume sketched here. These fresh appearing little ensembles frequently consist of a one or two-piece dress of the gingham accompanied by a short jacket of solid colored linen, or a jacket and skirt of gingham and a sleeveless blouse of linen.

The three smartest colors for these gingham-linen costumes are brown, yellow and red, usually emphasized in some manner with white.

Pastel flannel coats proved their popularity last Summer. Again they are an important fashion for warm climes. Soft light woolens other than flannels are used also in pastel tints. Many chic models have the collarless neckline, as in the centre sketch, with jabot effects and seaming for tailored interest. However, lavish fur collars are seen on other models.

That all-time favorite, the chiffon dress, is presented in a new manner for the South, yet should be quite as popular with those participating in Northern festivities.

Quite the newest version of the chiffon frock is one of simple, sheathlike lines, with a straight hemline and panels of varying lengths. The model shown is formed of many shades of violet, with fluttering panels posed at the back, in every shade from palest tints to dark tones.

Sidney Social News

Matthew's Hall, Sidney, was the scene of a very merry gathering of local residents, and a number of visitors from Victoria on Saturday evening, when the second of a series of regular fortnightly old-time dances was held.

Well over sixty guests assembled shortly after 8 o'clock, and as no jazz was allowed to be played or executed, for four hours the old-time favorite tunes kept the enthusiastic crowd stepping briskly through the various figures of the lancers, quadrilles, circassian circles and barn dances, as well as the more stately waltzes and minuets. The dancing was continued merrily until midnight.

Mr Brooks, of Saanichton, supplied the violin music, with Mrs. R. Pike at the piano, while Mr T Lidgate acted as caller-off in a very capable manner.

Promptly at midnight, a buffet supper of coffee and cakes was served, and it was announced that the next of these popular affairs would be held on Saturday evening, March 9

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Mrs. D Burr and baby daughter, who have been for the past month in Vancouver, returned to their home on Third Street last Wednesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. W Robinson returned to their home in Victoria after spending the week-end in Sidney as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. Lidgate, Fourth Street.

Parksville Personals

Mrs. W. A Wilson returned on Tuesday from visiting friends in Duncan and Victoria.

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Mrs. Bundork, of Duncan, is the guest of Mr and Mrs. E. W. Bazett for a few days.

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Mr and Mrs. Herbert Wing spent the week-end in Port Alberni as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sim.

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Mr S. Anderson motored to Victoria during the week-end to visit Mrs. Anderson, who recently underwent an operation there and is reported to be progressing favorably.

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Mrs. E. L. Moilliet has returned from a short visit to Victoria.

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Among those planning to attend the finals of the Canadian badminton championships in Vancouver on March 9 are Mrs. R C. Weld, Colonel and Mrs. Sourke, Mrs. Forbes, Miss Peary, Miss Park, Miss Ryall, Mr. B. Weld.

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An interesting lecture was given by the Rev. Mr Simpson in the Parish Hall on Wednesday evening. The vicar, the Rev. C H Popham, presided, the following were present: Mrs. L. T. Davis, Mrs. Hugh Wilson, Mrs. C. Parks, Mrs. B. Harrison, Mrs P. Rushton, Mrs. Forbes, Mrs. Wilcox, Mrs. T. M. Moilliet, Miss F Park, Miss J Rushton, Miss H. Hickey, Miss R Wilson, Messrs. A. L. Smith, W. G. Brice and Major Hickey. The attendance was not as large as expected owing to a number of people being laid up with colds.

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Mrs E. Orsham is spending a few days in Parksville as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wing.

Kitty McKay

By NINA WILCOX PUTNAM

The girl friend says she hears that goldfish never sleep, and she says well, that's what comes of living in glass houses!

Colquitz Social News

Friends of Mrs. Harry Hoult, R N, Wallington Road, are sorry to know that she is ill at her home

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Mrs Barr, who has been ill at the home of her daughter, Miss H Barr, Wilkinson Road, is improving daily, and hopes soon to return to her home, Grange Road.

Women's Clubs and Societies

Women's Guild

A standing vote of sympathy was passed at a largely attended meeting of the Women's Guild of the First United Church, held in the church parlor, on Monday afternoon, for the Misses More, who have recently been bereaved in the death of their mother, Mrs. L. M. More, widow of Dr. L. M. More, who died here a few years ago. The meeting, which was opened with devotional exercises, was presided over by the president, Mrs. A. S Christie. Routine business was quickly dispatched, after which it was decided to give several entertainments looking to the replenishing of the society's funds, the first to be a St. Patrick's and guest tea combined. Several of the different hostesses agreed to take charge of and provide for tables on St Patrick's Day, March 17. One or two new members were welcomed at this meeting. On the next meeting, March 31, which will take the form of a social gathering, Mrs. J. G. O. Bompas will give a talk on her work in China, where she and her husband, Rev. Mr. Bompas, labored as missionaries for some years.

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Daughters of England

Under the auspices of Lodge Primrose, No. 32, Daughters of England, a partner court whist will be held at the home of Mrs. M. Wright, 905 Esquimalt Road, corner of Head Street, on Friday evening, at 8 o'clock. Refreshments will be served and good prizes awarded the winners. Members and friends are invited.

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Welcome Club

The Welcome Club will meet tomorrow at the Y.W.C.A. Supper will be served at 6 o'clock, after which a short devotional meeting will be held. Mrs. Day will give a talk. All girls and women are invited to these meetings.

Deep Cove Personals

Miss Edna Thomas, of West Vancouver, is making an extended visit to her cousin, Mrs. Henry G. Horth.

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Mr. William Rowse left Tuesday for Portland on business.

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Mrs. Albert Simpson is visiting her sister, Mrs. Reggie Clark, at Shawnigan.

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Mrs. Thomas Parkinson, of Prince Rupert, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles W McIlmoyl

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Mr George Douglas, of Lafleche, Sask., returned to his home last week after visiting his brother and family.

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Mr. Joseph Hill, of North Portal, Sask., is visiting his brother, Mr. John Hill, and family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Marston, from Ashcroft district, are visiting at the home of Mr and Mrs. Blythe, "Small Dole," East Road

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Mr and Mrs. Ray Rowse and little son, Melvin, will make their home here.

Jordan River News

Mrs. Frank Saegar has returned after a two months' visit with relatives in California.

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Miss Edith Jeune, of Victoria, was a recent visitor at Jordan River.

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Mr and Mrs Kosta have taken up residence at Jordan River.

Is Head of National Parks Association

MRS. J. A. WILSON

Of Ottawa, recently honored by being elected president of the National Parks Association, the first time the position has been held by a woman. Mrs. Wilson is also president of the National Council of Women.

Women's Institutes of Vancouver Island

SOOKE

The Sooke and North Sooke Women's Institute will hold a bulb sale and silver tea on Friday evening, March 1, at the Sooke Hall. There will be an address by Mr. Perry and a musical programme.

GARDEN CITY

The final card party of this season, under the auspices of the social committee of the Garden City Women's Institute, will be held in Marigold Hall on Friday evening, March 1, at 8 o'clock.

Courtenay Social News

Mr R E. Ault, accompanied by Mr. W E. Mantle, were passengers on the E. & N. train on Monday morning en route for Victoria.

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Mrs. M. G. Fairbairn was a passenger for Victoria on Monday morning's train.

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Mrs. R. Filberg is spending a few days in Vancouver.

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Mr Frank Stephenson is paying a short visit to Victoria.

Marigold Personal

Mr and Mrs F Girton, Lavender Avenue, have sold their home and are moving shortly to Lake Road.

LAKE HILL PARTY

There were sixteen tables in play at the card party held in Lake Hill Community Hall on Monday evening under the auspices of the Women's Institute. Two tables tied for first honors, and upon cutting, prizes were awarded as follows: First table, Mrs. Buckley, Miss Douglas, Mr. Currie, Mr Peden, second table, Mrs. Sharritt, Mrs. Webster, Mrs. Williams, Mr. Ferriman, ten bid, Mr Logan and Mr. Webster, consolation, Mrs. Harris, Miss Simmonds, Mr. Bond, Mr F Simmonds. The next game will be held on Monday evening under the auspices of the Community Centre, and will commence at 8 30 o'clock.

FESTIVAL OFFERS SCHOLARSHIPS

Sprott-Shaw Institute and Dominion Academy of Music Donate Prizes

Two of the most interesting prizes offered for competition at the forthcoming Musical Festival take the form of scholarships.

The first is a scholarship representing free tuition for three months, offered by the Sprott-Shaw Business Institute, to the competitor obtaining the highest marks in any of the classes for competitors under nineteen years of age. This scholarship was the subject of keen competition last year and is again offered this year.

A new scholarship this year is the offer of one year of free tuition by the Dominion Academy of Music for the competitor awarded the highest marks in the vocal solo classes under sixteen, the piano intermediate, and elocution intermediate classes.

The committee is anxious to give public expression to its appreciation of the old spirit shown by donors of these two scholarships, which, it is felt, will provide a very strong incentive indeed for competition.

The committee wish it known among conductors of choirs entering Class 1 for public school primary grades, that in presenting the first test number only the first two verses will be required.

COMBINED SCHOOLS CONCERT TONIGHT

The programme for the combined schools concert to be held in the Armories tonight, is as follows:

Quadra Primary, dance; South Park, choir; Spring Ridge, choir, Oaklands, dance and drill, Sir James Douglas, gymnasium display, George Jay, jazz band, High School, backward drill; Quadra, doll dance, Girls' Central, dance; North Ward dance and song; Boys' Central, choir; Victoria West, Spanish dan[ce;] Margaret Jenkins, Song and dri[ll;] and High School, club swingi[ng.] Admission may be made by Fi[sgard] Street and Bay Street entrances.

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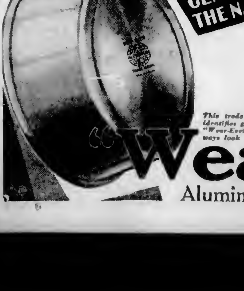

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CONTINUATION OF CLASS PROPOSED

Kiwanis Committee Recommends Club Maintain Thirty or More Boys at Y.M.C.A.

That the present class of thirty boys be continued by the Kiwanis Club at the Y.M.C.A. for another year, and that the number of boys be increased if funds of the club will permit, was the recommendation made by the boys' work committee of the Victoria Kiwanis Club at the open meeting of the club held yesterday in the Empress Hotel ballroom. Dr. S. J. Willis read the committee's report in the absence of the chairman, Mr. W. M. Scott, and the recommendation was referred to the club directors.

Mr James McIntosh, chairman of the interclub committee, proposed that the club visit the Kiwanis bodies in Vancouver, Seattle, Mount Vernon, Nanaimo, Edmonds and Port Angeles during the present year. Joint luncheons with the Kiwanis with the Rotary and Gyro clubs were also advocated.

The Kiwanis Orchestra proposed to give a programme over radio station CFCT to raise funds for the purchase of a radio for the Aged Women's Home. Mr. Austin Curtis, chairman of the music committee, reported.

The holding of a club golf tournament during the Spring, Summer and Autumn months was the recommendation of the sport committee, under the chairmanship of Mr. Ernest Eve.

Reports of other committees were given by the following: Mr. Arthur Scurrah, attendance; Mr Hugh Allan, education; Mr. J. L. Beckwith, public affairs; Mr. Ellis Brown, programme, and Mr. Mark W. Graham, membership.

Father Anselm Wood was introduced by Mr. Hugh Allan as a new member, and was given a hearty greeting.

Winter Plays Magician

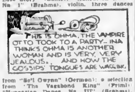
A LEAK in a power flume at Port Arthur, Ontario, resulted in a small stream of water shooting high in the air. During the recent cold weather it caused the huge icemound above, which, temporarily has become one of the sights of the city. The water continues to spurt inside the great inverted icicle, running away, what remains of it, through a self-made and now hidden channel.

Radio Programmes

By Courtesy of Radio Doings

Summary of Schedule of Victoria and Other Pacific Coast Stations

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (475.9m)—8 a.m. The morning market quotations. 8 p.m. The closing market quotes. 8.30. The Sunset Concert Orchestra presents the following: Overture, "Der Freischutz" (Weber), "A Curious Story" (Frommel), "An Old Love Story" (Conte), "Hungarian Dance, No. 1" (Brahms), violin, three dances



from "Sel Owyne" (German): a selection from "The Vagabond King" (Friml), "Hungarian Dance, No. III" (Brahms), "The Hymn to the Sun" (Rimsky-Korsakow), "In the Silence of Night" (Rachmaninoff). 9.30. A speech on the Technical School By-Law. "What's Doing in Town"; official weather report. West Coast Information Service: the correct time. 7.30. The Empress Hotel Orchestra. 8. Weekly radiotorial, "Need the Small Business Worry About Mergers?" Studio programme. 9.30. Victoria Bed & Mattress Company programme. 11. The Crystal Garden Orchestra.

CNRW, Winnipeg, Man. (384.4m)—6.30 p.m. (Central Standard Time). Dinner programme.

CNRV, Vancouver, B.C. (291m)—10-11 p.m. Studio programme by Mari Gilbert, Swiss singer.

NBC National Broadcasting Company—10.30-11.30 a.m. "Woman's Magazine of the Air." 1-5 p.m. Pacific Vagabonds (Transcontinental from S.F.). 5-6. The Cabin Door. 6.30-7.30. Palmolive hour (Transcontinental). 7.30-8.30. Gold Strand programme (Transcontinental). 8-8.30. "Roads to Romance." 8.30-9. The Hill Billy Boys. 10 p.m.-12 midnight. The Trocaderans.

ABC, American Broadcasting Company, Main Studio, KJR, Seattle (309.1m)—7-8 a.m. Vim, Vigor and Vitality. 8-9. "The Golden Hour Orchestra." 8-8.30. Better Homes programme. 8.30-8.45. Novelty programme. 8.45-10. Morning devotional service. 10.30-10.45. Hair culture. 11 a.m.-12 noon. American Revellers. 12.15-12.30 p.m. Novelties. 12.30-1.30. American Salon Orchestra. 1.30-2. O. Donald Gray, baritone, and Sydney Dixon, tenor, in recital. 2-3. American Artistic Ensemble. 3-1. American Salon Orchestra. 4-4.30. Bridge Table, Lillian Thompson, instructor. 4.30-5. "The Melodians." 5-5.55. American Salon Orchestra. 5.55-6. McMahon Institute of Finance. 6-7. American Artistic Ensemble. 7-7.30. Kolster programme (C.B.S. from N.Y.). 7.30-8. Comedy Sketch (S.F.). 8-8.30. Instrumental Ensemble Soloists. 8.30-9. "Over Land and Sea." Salon Orchestra (S.F.). 9-9.30. Piano Recital, one Male Quartette (S.F.). 9.30-10. Kenin's Novelties (O.P.). 10-11. "Sleepy Time" (S.F.). 11 p.m.-12 midnight. Golden Gate Gypsies, Herman Kenin, director (S.F.).

KFI, Los Angeles, Cal. (468.5m; 640k)—3 p.m. Uke and song. 4. Spanish lesson. 5. Uncle Don. 5.55. Violinist. 6. Leon Rene and his Southern Syncopators. 6.30. Palmolive programme. 7.30. Gold Strand programme. 8. Roads to Romance. 8.30. Studio programme. 9. Concert Orchestra. 10. Dance music programme.

KGW, Portland, Ore. (483.6m; 620k)—9.30-9.45 a.m. Studio programme. 9.45-3. Talk on flowers. 3-4. Cabin Door. 5.30-6. Movie talk. 6-6.15. Music by Mal Howard. 6.15-6.30. Book chat. 6.30-7.30. Palmolive programme. 7.30-8. Gold Strand programme.

programme. 8-8.30. Roads to Romance. 8.30-9. Historical drama. 9-9.30. Davidson Bakery programme. 9.30-10. Maytag Sy-A-Tone programme. 10-10.15. Oregonian news summary. 10.15 p.m.-12 midnight. Dance programme.

KNX, Los Angeles, Cal. (285.5m; 1,050k)—2.30-3 p.m. Mrs. David Hugh. 4.25. D. Wesley M. Darrell. 5-5.45. "Own Your Own Home." 5.45-6. Tom Cyler's amusement tips. 6-6.30. KNX String Quintette. 6-6.30. Pioneers' Club. 6.30-7. Organ recital. 7-7.30. Feature programme. 7.30-8. Earl Butterworth and his Airdales. 8.30-9. Feature programme. 9.30. Courtesy programme. 10 p.m.-12 midnight. Cocoanut Grove Orchestra. 12 midnight-1 a.m. Dance hour.

KOA, Denver, Colo. (361.2m; 830k)—5.30-6 p.m. Brown Palace Hotel Orchestra. 6-6.30. Ipana Troubadours. 6.30-7.30. Palmolive hour. 8.30-9. Gold Strand programme. 8-8.15. Along Broadway. 8.15-8.45. Canoe Pure Seltzer. 8.45-9.15. In the Garden. 9.15-9.30. KOA Orchestra. 9.30-10. KOA Mixed Quartette. 10-11. The Trocaderans. N.B.C.

KPO, San Francisco, Cal. (440.9m; 680k)—2-2.30 p.m. House of Dreams. 2.30-3.15. Secrets for Women Only. 3-4. The Cabin Door. 4. Stock market quotations. 5-6. Children's hour. 6-6.30. Tommy Munroe and Bob Allen. 6.30-7.30. Palmolive programme. 7.30-8. Gold Strand programme. 8-8.30. "Jack and Ethyl." 8.30-9. Studio programme. 9-9.30. Assisting artists. 9.30-10. Aeolian Trio. 10-11. Dance Orchestra. 11 p.m.-12 midnight. The Trocaderans.

KGO, Oakland, Cal. (379.5m; 790k)—3-4 p.m. "The Cabin Door." N.B.C. 4-5. Concert Orchestra. 5-5.15. Consulting psychologist. 6-6.30. "Paul Revere." 6.30-7.30. Palmolive hour. 7.30-8. Gold Strand programme. 8-8.30. Jack and Ethyl. 8.30-9. Somar programme. 9-9.30. Parisian Quintette. 9.30-10. "Songs and the Singer." 10-11. The Trocaderans.

KOL, Seattle, Wash. (236.1m; 1,270k)—2-3 a.m. Matinee Melodies. 3-4. Organ. C. Perinney. 4-4.30. Twilight Time. 4-4.40. Music, newscasting. 6.40-7. Mabel Baldwin, "This and That." 5-7.30. Thirty Minutes of Sunshine. 7.30-8. Symphony hour. 8-8.15. Studio programme. 8.15-8.30. KOL Music Club. 8.30-9. Symphony hour. 9-9.15. Amos 'n' Andy. 9.30-10. Pacific Trade programme. 10-11. Studio programme. 11 p.m.-12 midnight. Hotel Butler Indians.

LOOKS LIKE A STORMY FUTURE FOR OTTO AND INA.

KOMO, Seattle, Wash. (325.9m; 920k)—8 a.m. Shell Happy Time. 8. Organ recital. 8.30. Inspirational service. 10. Health exercises. 10.15. Prudence Penny. 10.30. Piano solos. 11. N.B.C. 11.30. Soprano duets. 1 p.m. Pacific Vagabonds. Totem Quintette, with Rhona Marshall. 3. Cabin Door. 4. Orchestra. 5. Kiddies' programme. 6. Orchestra. 6.30. Palmolive hour. 7.30. N.B.C. 8. Roads to Romance. 8.30. "Alice in Cinderland." 9. Male Quartette. 9.15. Orchestra. 10.30. Syncorhythmists. Jimmie Riddel. 11.45 p.m.-12.30 a.m. Organ recital.

COMMEMORATION OF ANNIVERSARY OVER N.B.C. SYSTEM

Romance will be the keynote for the "Roads to Romance" programme to be broadcast through N.B.C. System stations from 8 to 8.30 o'clock tonight.

Today is the wedding anniversary—the first—of Jack and Ethyl, the motormates. Auditors are not to know where these "honeymooners" will be for their first anniversary until it is time to tune in.

Everyone will remember that Jack and Ethyl were married last February in the quaint, romantic Mission Inn at Riverside. They have enjoyed many happy adventures throughout the year, and tonight an additional delightful innovation may be expected.

"Roads to Romance" will be broadcast through Stations KHQ, Spokane; KOMO, Seattle; KGW, Portland; KGO, Oakland; KPO, San Francisco, and KFI, Los Angeles.

RADIO FANS HEAR FINE PROGRAMME OVER CFCT "MIKE"

The Sunset Concert Orchestra plays over CFCT this evening, and a large variety of classical works will be heard between 6.20 and 7.20 o'clock. The overture to Von Weber's opera, "Der Freischutz," will open the nightly hour with the Sunset Broadcasters, followed by "A Curious Story," and "An Old Love Story." Listeners to Victoria's radio station will also hear two of Johannes Brahms' "Hungarian Dances," Nos. 1 and 3, and a selection from Friml's "The Vagabond King." "The Hymn to the Sun" will be offered, while the hour will close with "In the Silence of Night," by Rachmaninoff.

An address on the Technical School By-Law will immediately follow the Sunset programme, and then CFCT's microphones will bring a programme of dance music from the Empress Hotel. The weekly radiotorial will be given at 8 o'clock tonight, instead of the usual time, and will be of particular interest to the heads of small businesses. It is entitled, "Need the Small Business Worry About Mergers?"

Two studio programmes will follow this short talk, while the last programme from CFCT this evening takes place between 11 and 12 o'clock, when an hour's dance music will be broadcast from the Crystal Garden.

"The Magic Flute" Presented Tonight

The overture to Mozart's opera "The Magic Flute" will open the half-hour of concert music which the Kolster Radio Hour will present at 7 o'clock tonight, over a nationwide network of stations. This broadcast will be released in the West by stations of the A.B.C. Network.

This overture is one of the greatest of its kind and contains one of the most famous figures in musical history. "The Magic Flute" was first produced in Vienna in 1791 with Mozart himself directing, and was brought to America in 1833.

In addition to this masterpiece, the Kolster orchestra will include on their programme such numbers as Tschaikowsky's Waltz from "String Serenade," opus 48, Debussy's "Reverie," and Schumann's "Slumber Song."

The trials of opera night are heaped upon the innocent shoulders of Herman Applebury in the episode of the Great American Appleburys being presented tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

Herman arrives home late, to be hustled into his opera clothes by his wife, and they start for the opera. The trip takes them through a series of highly entertaining incidents, in which Herman appears in the light of the careless husband, the lawbreaker and the hero.

This series of humorous sketches is being written by Harry Colwell and is being presented over stations of the A.B.C. Network.

Angry Customer: "I say, that horse you sold me has dropped down dead."

Dealer: "Can't 'elp that, sir. 'E never did that while I 'ad 'im."

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ONTARIO'S SURPLUS

TORONTO, Feb. 26.—A surplus for the financial year ended October 31, 1928, of $328,000 and an estimated surplus of $198,000 for the financial year ending October 31, 1929, were the chief features of the budget presented to the Legislature this afternoon.

"She's really a lot older than she looks."

"Yes, and what's more—she looks it."—"Life."

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Healing Salve, 50c value 27¢

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Bath Mitts, regular, per pair 35c, at 18¢
Bayer's Aspirin, 100 for $1.39
Chamois Skins, extra large size double skins 95¢

3-Day Sale of Brushes beginning Thursday. Values worthy of your consideration.

—Drugs, Main Floor, H B C

Half-Day Grocery Specials

Finest Quality New Zealand Creamery Butter, per lb. 49¢
3 lbs. for $1.45
Selected Quality Creamery Butter, per lb. 48¢
3 lbs. for $1.42
Pure Bulk Lard, per lb. 18¢
3 lbs. for 52¢
Swift's Premium Side Bacon, per lb. 56¢
Swift's Premium Back Bacon, per lb. 50¢
Smoked Boneless Cottage Rolls, per lb. 33¢
Prime Matured Ontario Cheese, per lb. 40¢
Ripe Gorgonzola Cheese, per lb. 45¢
Swift's Premium Boiled Ham, per lb. 55¢
Sliced Corned Beef, lb. 30¢
Beekist Honey, 8 oz. glass Special 18¢
King Beach Brand Red Plums in syrup, large tin 19¢
Red Arrow Sodas, Special, per pkg. 21¢
Home Brand Tomato Ketchup, large bottle 24¢
Whiz Cleanser (like Saniflush), per tin 24¢
California Navel Oranges, per dozen 30¢, 40¢, 50¢, 60¢
Choice Florida Grapefruit at each 15¢ and 20¢
Nice Green Spinach at 2 lbs. for 25¢
New Carrots, 2 bunches 25¢
Jerusalem Artichokes, lb. 5¢

—Lower Main Floor, H B C

This Morning's Specials in Meat

Beef Liver, per lb. 25¢
Lambs' Liver, per lb. 30¢
Pork Liver, per lb. 15¢
Beef Hearts, per lb. 15¢
Beef Tripe, per lb. 12½¢
Ox Tails, per lb. 25¢
Ox Tongues, per lb. 35¢
Corned Briskets, per lb. 20¢
Pickled Pork, per lb. 25¢
Dry Salt Pork, per lb. 30¢
Shoulders of Mutton, lb., 25¢
Sirloin and T-Bone Roast, per lb. 35¢

—Lower Main Floor, H B C

Customers With Charge Accounts

Kindly note that all purchases made this morning and tomorrow, February 27 and 28, will be charged to March account, payable in April.

Linen Bridge Sets

Month-End Special This Morning **98c**

Neat and attractive sets for your bridge or tea table. The cloth is 36 x 36 inches, and there are four napkins to match. Made from a fine linen crash, with novelty border effects in blue, gold, green and helio.

—Main Floor, H B C

Colored Turkish Towels

Regular 39c Each. This Morning **25c**

Large Sized Towels in a good choice of many multi-colored stripe effects.

—Main Floor, H B C

New Zephyr Prints

Month-End Special, Per Yard, This Morning **49c**

Fast Color Prints that will fashion into dainty house frocks, aprons and children's dresses. Width 36 inches. There are many colorful patterns from which to choose.

—Main Floor, H B C

Infants' Muslin Frocks

Values to $3.95. This Morning **1.25**

Dainty Muslin Frocks in short and long lengths, with embroidery, pleats and lace trimmings. Sizes for infants and up to 2 years.

—Second Floor, H B C

Children's Warm Kimonos

Month-End Special This Morning **2.49**

Nicely made from soft woolly beacon cloth, with pointed and round collars, trimmed with satin cord and with heavy silk girdle, and shown in a good assortment of warm colors. Sizes 8 to 14 years.

—Second Floor, H B C

Women's All-Wool Vests

Month-End Special This Morning **98c**

Pure Wool Rib Vests, with built-up shoulders, opera tops and short sleeves. Sizes 38 to 42.

—Second Floor, H B C

Women's and Misses' Raincoats

Month-End Special This Morning **2.49**

Women's and Misses' English Raincoats in fine rubberized Indiana cloth. Made with Raglan sleeves and all around belts, and in colors of taupe, grey, navy, sand and rose-ash. Sizes 16 to 42.

—Second Floor, H B C

Women's Chubby Umbrellas

Month-End Special This Morning **1.25**

Sturdy Quality Umbrellas, with durable black covers and neat attractive handles. Also with the amber tips and ferrules.

—Main Floor, H B C

75 New Spring Hats of Felt and Straw

Month-End Special This Morning **2.95**

Seventy-five new Hats, mostly with brims, and featuring the brim that is slashed away in front to show the forehead, and drooping at sides and back. Also some with the brim long on one side, and the moderate sized regular brim slightly longer at the sides, and a few close fitting off-the-face styles. Shown in lovely new Spring colors and in black.

—Second Floor, H B C

Smartly Tailored House Frocks

Month-End Special This Morning **2.00**

Attractive and Serviceable House Frocks in floral and printed designs with short or long sleeves and dainty collars, pockets and trimmings of contrasting colors. Styles for women and some specially suitable for young women. Sizes 36 to 44.

—Second Floor, H B C

Corselettes for Slender Figures

Month-End Special This Morning **1.00**

Corselettes for the average and slight figure, lightly boned in back and across diaphragm. They have a section of elastic over the hipline, assuring the snug fit. There are strongly taped shoulder straps and four hose supporters.

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Silk and Wool Hose

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We have 200 pairs of this standard quality hosiery and every pair perfect. Colors are fawn, champagne, pastelle, tanaura and grey. All sizes from 8½ to 10.

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Children's Rayon Hose

Regular 50c a Pair. This Morning **39c**

Neat Fitting Attractive Full-Length Stockings with double soles and high spliced heels. Shown in shades of nude, champagne and white. Sizes 7 to 8½.

—Main Floor, H B C

Oddments in Women's Silk Hose

Values to 98c a Pair. This Morning **49c**

Light and dark tan shades only in good quality silk hosiery. Sizes 8½ to 10.

—Main Floor, H B C

Growing Girls' Shoes

Month-End Price, This Morning **3.95**

These shoes are designed and made specially for the young girls. They are in smart and up-to-date styles in patent leather with two and three eyelet ties, also Colonial styles with large steel buckles and alligator cut-out trim. Low heels. Sizes 2½ to 7.

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Linen Crash Luncheon Cloths

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Sturdy Table Cloths with colored borders. These will give excellent wear. Size 52 x 52 inches.

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Reversible Wall Mops

Month-End Special This Morning **1.35**

Lavender Colored Mops, for walls or for polishing floors. Complete with handle.

—Lower Main Floor, H B C

Kitchen Light Units

Month-End Special This Morning **1.89**

White Opal Kitchen Light Units, complete with white metal receptacles. These give a soft, clear light.

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Imperial Varnish Stain

Special, Per Quart, This Morning **98c**

Dependable Varnish Stain, for floors, furniture or woodwork. Colors of mahogany, light and dark oak and walnut.

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English Milk Jugs

Regular 65c. This Morning **49c**

Plain White English Milk Jugs in 3-pint size, with wide top.

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China Cups and Saucers

Regular to 25c. This Morning **15c**

Teacups and Saucers in ovide shape, with neat floral bird and fruit designs on a fine white body china. Six patterns from which to choose.

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These gloves are made from that soft grey pigskin that gives good hard wear, and does not harden when wet. They have the knit wrist, and come in sizes 7 and 8 for women, and sizes 9 to 10½ for men.

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White Pure Wool Blankets

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These Fleecy Blankets are woven from high-grade pure wool yarns. Some have slight oil stains but otherwise they are perfect. Size for three-quarter beds.

—Main Floor, H B C

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

MINERS AND THE DOLE

Sir,—The following extract from an address by Rev. M. W. J. Bruce to the Rotary Club, as reported in your columns, calls for some comment:

"A large section of the Welsh miners," said Mr. Bruce, "simply do not want work, and are not so much unemployed as unemployable. A pit was recently opened in Wales which could not get enough local men to work it, and had to look elsewhere." It is possible, in Mr. Bruce's opinion, that this state of affairs is due to the younger element of the miners, who have lived on the dole. He cited an instance of one young man who was brought up and lived on the dole, married on the dole, and is now bringing up children on the dole.

If I were not aware of the strength of class prejudice in England, the above might surprise me. The constant misuse of the word "dole" in certain quarters is a case in point. One may or may not believe in "unemployment insurance," but no one believes in a "dole," unless he happens to know that the latter is a nickname for the former. Only the other day, sir, your news columns informed us that the question of unemployment insurance is receiving serious consideration at Ottawa. Had you chosen for this interesting news the caption "Dole Suggested for Canada," the fat would doubtless have been in the fire. The simple truth, however, seems to have caused no noticeable stir.

Needless to say, I make no aspersions on Rev. M. W. J. Bruce's good faith, but I invite your readers to consider his remarks in the light of the following extracts from the British press, which indicate not only the nature of the "dole," but also a condition of affairs which cannot be explained by suggestions of laziness.

1. "Owing to the economic impossibility of carrying on, collieries are closing down one after another. The number of unemployed grows with every pit closed."—Welsh Outlook.

2. "The field of industry which formerly sustained them is barren, and never again will miners, to the number of perhaps a quarter of a million, be able to gain a livelihood from their former employment. How acute individual hardships may be can be gathered from the statement of the Lord Mayor of Cardiff that there are women who must borrow another woman's boots before they can go shopping, and that hundreds of men stay in bed in order to save a meal."—Times.

(Query: Why don't they live on the dole?)

1. "It is not enough for a man to say: 'I have registered at the Exchange. They have not been able to find me a job. I claim unemployment relief.' He must give evidence of active efforts to the pursuit of work, and if he fails to satisfy the Court of Referees that he has made such efforts, he is debarred from benefits and thrown back upon the poor law. To apply such regulations to the surplus miners at the present time is a grotesque absurdity. Yet large numbers of miners are without unemployment benefit either because they have been disqualified on such grounds, or because they have never paid sufficient contributions to entitle them to benefit. It is indeed the large number of the men who are without benefit that mainly accounts for the physical distress and for the almost intolerable strain which is cast upon the rates in the mining areas."—The Nation.

One is tempted to ask how the young man instanced by Mr. Bruce got away with his domestic activities. In some respects the plight of the younger men seems the most serious. Their insurance benefits, if any, are of brief duration, and having as a rule no dependents, they can claim no relief under the Poor Law. Their only recourse is to tramp the country in search of work, making use of the casual wards and so tending to become vagrants.

GEORGE H. MATHER.

Royal Oak, B.C., February 23, 1929.

At The Playhouses

COLISEUM On the first day of **THEATRE** the showing of Columbia's "Submarine," a mighty drama of the sea, now showing at the Coliseum Theatre, Jack Holt sustained an injury to his wrist which made it impossible for him to apply his own make-up. The accident occurred during a gale brawl with several extras. Each man was anxious to make the scene realistic and Holt was doubly active. During one of his punches, which landed on the head of an extra, Holt sprained his wrist. At first it was feared that the actor had fractured his arm and that the production would experience an unavoidable delay, but Holt instead on working, although his physician advised a few day's rest. A compromise was made by providing a special make-up man for the star.

CAPITOL "Marquis Preferred," **THEATRE** the picture the Capitol Theatre will feature for the last time today, is taken from the original story by Frederic Arnold Kummer. The Kummer romance was translated into a starring vehicle for Adolphe Menjou by Ernest Vajda, who, besides being the author of several of Menjou's successes, wrote the stage success "Fata Morgana" and "Grounds for Divorce." The stage specialties for today include June and Weldon, a comedy dance team, Kennedy and Cortez in a novelty vaudeville skit entitled "Funny Bones," along with Aimee, hailed as queen of the chromatic accordion. The supporting acts include Jack Reed, the popular singing M.C. and the Capitol Stage Band.

DOMINION Screen artists must **THEATRE** now sound the part as well as look it. Hollywood casting directors declare. With sound pictures coming into their own, the voice is having its say. "Interference," the noted stage success, now appears as a Paramount Quality Sound picture at the Dominion Theatre. With London the locale and the characters all British, a nearly all-British cast was used. Of the players who are not English, Evelyn Brent, William Powell and Doris Kenyon have all lived in London. The other players include Clive Brook, Brandon Hurst and Clyde Cook. Donald Stuart, Raymond Lawrence and Wilfred Noy, all raised within sight of Piccadilly.

COLUMBIA "Paul Wegener, un-**THEATRE** doubtedly one of the greatest actors of stage and screen, seeks always to give a new direction to films," says The Daily Berliner Nachtausgabe, of the performance of Paul Wegener in the Deru-First National picture, "The Strange Case of Captain Ramper," showing for the last times today at the Columbia Theatre. That newspaper continues: "In his Ramper he presents a novel, splendid performance of histrionic and cinematographic portrayal which has never been surpassed in the world."

Schipa Welcomed By Capacity Houses in San Francisco

The San Francisco Call and Post has this to say about Tito Schipa, who will appear in Victoria on Friday, March 1, under the auspices of the Ladies' Musical Club:

Not since it was opened a year ago has Dreamland Auditorium held such a numerous or appreciative audience as that which last night heard Tito Schipa give a programme of exquisite lyricism. The Italian tenor has an almost perfect combination of sympathetic artistry and voice. It is the kind of voice that really thrills. Velvety lyric in the lower tones, almost dramatic in the upper, it has a quality that is essentially Schipanesque. His diction in Italian, French and Spanish songs is well nigh perfect, and in the English he has a fascinating accent which enhances rather than detracts from its charm.

Frederick Longas, accompanist, was distinctly a better pianist than usually accompanies singers and in the piano numbers on the programme gave notably intelligent interpretations. If there is such a thing as an aristocrat of song, Schipa is the man. He sings the old Italian canto with a beauty of line that is as patrician as are the lineaments of Donatello's saint. Cecellia

PLAYHOUSE "The Great White **THEATRE** North," the photographic record of the northern explorations of Sidney Snow and his father, the late H. A. Snow, is being presented to capacity audiences at the Playhouse Theatre. This picture is without doubt, one of the most fascinating and interesting pictures ever seen here, for the presentation of pictured Arctic life comes as a distinct novelty in celloid instruction. There are numerous shots of Eskimos in their native haunts, and sequences dealing with the home life and capture of walrus and polar bears.

"How's your vegetable garden coming along, old man?"

"We had it for dinner last night."

Interesting Contributions to Canadian Paintings Are Those From the Brushes of Dr. F. G. Banting, famous discoverer of insulin, and Dr. A. P. Coleman, noted Geologist. The Above Pictures Show (1) a Study of the North, by Dr. Banting. Somewhat After the Group of Seven; (2) Dr. Banting Himself; (3) Dr. Coleman, and (4) Takakaw Falls, Boho Valley, One of Dr. Coleman's Paintings.

AMUSEMENTS

Capitol—"Marquis Preferred," starring Adolphe Menjou.
Coliseum—Jack Holt in "Submarine."
Columbia—"The Strange Case of Captain Ramper."
Dominion — Clive Brook in "Interference."
Playhouse—"The Great White Way."

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Health and Diet Advice

By DR. FRANK McCOY

RECTAL DISORDERS

The last few inches of the intestines, termed the rectum, are subject to a number of disorders and irritations such as hemorrhoids, piles, fissures, inflammations, prolapsus, neuralgia, etc. There are very few parts of the body where a local trouble can produce so many reflex pains and waste so much nervous vitality.

Hemorrhoids are simply varicose veins of the rectum. They become enlarged because of some interference with the normal flow of blood away from the rectum. These veins are especially liable to enlargement because they do not contain the usual valves to keep the blood from flowing backward.

The blood supply of the rectum is connected very directly with the portal circulation of the liver. When the liver becomes sluggish or overworked the rectal veins must necessarily enlarge. It is therefore necessary that all liver disturbances be cured before one can expect in free the congested rectal circulation.

Other conditions which may produce hemorrhoids are a prolapsus of the abdominal organs, excessive use of cathartics, a long continued sitting or standing position, straining while lifting, excessive intestinal gas and constipation. With women the cause may be from an enlarged or displaced uterus, the pressure from tumors, indolent habits of living, etc. It is known that fully ninety-five per cent. of all women suffer from some prolapsus of the abdominal organs.

A fissure of the rectum is simply a break in the membrane caused by long continued constipation, the irritation of poisonous feces or the stretching, tearing effect of bleeding piles. Sometimes the internal irritation and infection may be so great as to produce an opening from the inside of the rectum through the skin of the buttocks. This is called a fistula, and can only come from a continual neglect of rectal disorders which could be easily cured in their insipiency. Local treatments are often effective and necessary in curing rectal disorders, but of course, to produce a permanent cure, the cause of the trouble must be removed.

When the membranes of the rectum themselves are prolapsed, it is best to push them back as often as possible and immediately apply a local treatment of ice or ice water to contract and produce a better tone in these weakened membranes. This ice treatment is helpful in all rectal disorders if taken in this way: break off a small piece of ice, shave it into a cone-like shape and carefully insert the small end into the rectum, holding it in place with a thick towel. The ice cone should then be forced further up and hold there while the ice melts. This treatment should last only four or five minutes, until the ice is melted. The blood vessels will contract in this way, and the circulation will be better after each treatment. Injections of ice water may be given with a small hand syringe in place of the ice treatment. Exercises should also be used to overcome any condition of internal prolapsus, and local treatments to be given by your doctor may be also necessary in severe or infected cases.

Correspondents wishing to communicate with Dr. McCoy should address letters: Dr. Frank McCoy, c.o. Bell Syndicate, 184 Nassau Street, New York, U.S.A.

ALLEGE POLITICS IN AUDIT REPORT

Incident Regarding Cameron Drainage District Is Raised in Committee

Declaring that the statements of the auditing firm of Hellwell, Macleathan & Company were "inaccurate, untruthful and misleading," that it was of "a political character" also and was prepared "for obvious reasons," Mr. A. M. Manson attacked the report as it applied to the Cameron Drainage District on Vancouver Island.

Mr. Manson attempted to have the matter put in the form of a resolution before the public accounts committee of the House yesterday forenoon.

This was refused by the chairman, Mr. George A. Wallace, who said that there must be further investigation into the matter under review before he could reach a conclusion, and he would have to have more evidence produced before it would be right to allow the matter to be passed on.

Mr. Wallace further pointed out that the subject matter of the dispute was out of order as it was outside the period that came under the scope of the inquiry for the present year. It would be in order the following session.

Mr. Manson took the ground that the subject matter of the item was within the scope of the investigation.

It was finally agreed that this course would be follow—that there should be a fuller meeting of the committee before the matter was disposed of.

The point which came in for attack in particular in the report on the Cameron Drainage District was that which said that none of the owners had paid up the assessments. Among the owners of land therein was set out the name of "George B. Pearson." This it was explained by Mr. Pearson, the member for Nanaimo, a member of the committee, referred to himself, and was not correct inasmuch as in the accounts of the drainage district the property stood in the name of Pearson and McGregor.

Mr. Pearson also called attention to the fact that in the report of the audit committee this drainage system was the only one among those referred to in which the names were set out.

Mr. Manson said that the reasons were quite obvious for the referencing.

SOUND AUCTION BRIDGE

By WILBUR C. WHITEHEAD

The World's Greatest Authority

BOARD No. 372

North
♠ 4
♥ J 5 3
♦ J 7 6
♣ A K 8 7 4 2

West
♠ 7 6 5 3
♥ A Q
♦ Q 10 7 2 3
♣ 4 5

East
♠ A Q 8
♥ 9 8 7 4 2
♦ K 4
♣ Q J 10 9

South
♠ A K Q 10 9 2
♥ K 10 6
♦ A 9 8
♣ 3

South is the dealer. What is the proper bidding and play?

In the next issue Mr. Whitehead will explain the salient points in the bidding and play of the above hand. Fill out your own chart, and compare it with his method.

These hands must not be bid or played "Double Dummy" i.e., as though all four hands were exposed.

Notice—In recording the Auction, or the Play, use the following: "Pass" for Passing; "D" for Doubling; and "Sd" for Redoubling; "NT" for No Trump; "DBL" for double; "REDBL" for redouble.

Yesterday's Hand as Played by Mr. Whitehead

BOARD No. 371

North: ♠ A Q 10 9 8 ♥ 7 ♦ A 8 5 ♣ A K 7
West: ♠ 7 6 5 ♥ A Q 6 ♦ Q J 4 2 ♣ 6 4 3
East: ♠ K ♥ K 9 8 4 3 2 ♦ K 7 6 ♣ Q 9 8 2
South: ♠ J 4 3 ♥ J 10 7 5 ♦ 10 5 3 ♣ Q J 10 5

The Correct Bidding and Play

THE PLAY

Bracketed card played to each trick

Trick	South	West	North	East	Winning Card	Winner
1	2♠	(2♥)	3♥	3♠	4♠	1
2	(5♣)	6♣	6♠	7♣	7♠	2
3	(7♠)	8♠	9♠	10♠	J♠	3
4	(J♠)	Q♠	K♠	A♠	A♠	4
5	(A♠)	5♠	6♠	7♠	7♠	5
6	(7♠)	8♠	9♠	10♠	10♠	6
7	(10♠)	J♠	Q♠	K♠	K♠	7
8	(K♠)	2♥	3♥	4♥	4♥	8
9	(4♥)	5♥	6♥	7♥	7♥	9
10	(7♥)	8♥	9♥	10♥	10♥	10
11	(10♥)	J♥	Q♥	K♥	K♥	11
12	(K♥)	A♥	2♥	3♥	3♥	12
13	(3♥)	4♥	5♥	6♥	6♥	13

Total Tricks Won: 13

Final Bid: 2♠ Played by South

hand by bidding it up gradually. With the same Spade holding, but with weak outside cards, a preemptive bid of three would be in order.

Salient Points of the Play

Forcing Discards

Tricks 2 and 4. Declarer secures a ruff of his losing Club with Dummy's lone King of trumps. This play will permit an opportunity to make the Jack of trumps which could not otherwise be made if played exactly twice guarded. If not so used the play will save a trick.

Trick 5.—Declarer places the Ace of Hearts with West, as Ekan would probably have come up, with so many Hearts in Dummy.

Trick 11. West is marked with the lone Ace of Hearts and two Clubs, one of them the Queen, the other the Jack or 8. If the Jack then West can be assumed by another forced discard.

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THE BIDDING

South	West	North	East	Winning Bid	Winner
1					
2					
3					
4					
5					
6					
7					
8					
9					
10					
11					
12					
13					

Total Tricks Won:

(Bracket the card bid to each trick) Declarer Opponents

Game Score

Final Score

THE ENDING

South Bids	West Bids	North Bids	East Bids

Final Bid: Played by

WILL SPEAK ON NATIONAL PARKS

Victoria is to be favored with a return visit from Mr. J. C. Campbell, head of the publicity branch of the National Parks Branch of the Department of the Interior, who will speak next Saturday evening in the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium, under the auspices of the Vancouver Island section of the Alpine Club of Canada. The lecture will begin at eight o'clock, and will be illustrated with lantern views, showing some of the choicest scenery to be found within the national parks of Canada.

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TELEPHONED NOTICE, THEN SHOT HIMSELF

VANCOUVER, Feb. 26. — John Hudson, fifty-five, telephoned police headquarters at 2.15 a.m. this morning and while a desk sergeant listened, blew out his brains with a .38 calibre revolver.

"I have had a sore no my arm for four months," continued the spokesman spoke. "My doctor says it must be amputated"—his voice rose—"I can't stand the pain any longer."

"Wait," shouted Lowry, visioning what was to come.

"I have waited too long," replied the voice. "You will find a light on the veranda."

AUSTRALIAN PACT SCORED

Delta Members Believe Farmers of B.C. Are Entitled to More Protection

Pointing out the evil effects of the Australian Reciprocity Treaty insofar as it affected the farming industry of this province and Canada as a whole, and congratulating the Minister of Agriculture on the steps he had taken to encourage mixed farming in the province, Mr. J. W. Berry Conservative, Delta, went thoroughly into the farming problems of the province when contributing to the debate on the budget at yesterday afternoon's session of the Legislature.

The chief trouble with the Okanagan Foungrower Mr Berry thought, was that he had specialized. He did not think it wise to put all one's eggs into one basket, even in connection with farm matters.

Mr Berry said that possibly a mistake had been made when it had been asked that the Australian treaty be repealed. This mistake had been rectified, however, by a general appeal being made for more protection for dairy products in Canada. Under the treaty Australia benefitted little, while New Zealand exported huge quantities of butter to Canada. As a result of this treaty the production of butter in Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba had dropped 80 per cent. In fact, during the past two and a half years the production of butter in Canada was 18,000,000 pounds less. This reduction had been balanced by an importation of nearly 20,000,000 pounds of butter from Australia and New Zealand during the same period.

As against the 1-3 cent preference given New Zealand and Australian Butter by Canada, Australia placed a 12-cent duty on every pound of butter imported into that country. Australia also allowed its dairy producers a six cents a pound bonus on all its butter exports, in order to help develop the industry.

After presenting these facts, Mr. Berry said that the farmer of this country was entitled to more protection.

Mr. Berry urged upon the Government the necessity of relieving farmers from Oriental competition. It was a very serious problem.

The speaker defended the principle of co-operative marketing, declaring that it was of great value to the farmer in correcting the old impression that the farmer had not any in what he should receive for his produce.

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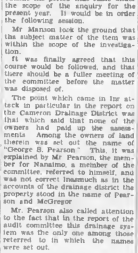
Whassat?

By J. E. SYMONS.



Who put this here—and why has baby not seen it before? Careful, baby, the best place for you now is right in your own yard—just go and ask mother.

Vancouver Island

ELECTRIC CO. OFFERS PLANT FOR $125,000

Cumberland Is Given Sixty Days' Option to Secure Lighting Undertaking—

EXPERT WILL MAKE SURVEY

Waterworks Company Offers to Sell Out for $100,000—Good for Six Months

CUMBERLAND, Feb 26 —At the meeting of the City Council held on Monday with Mayor Maxwell in the chair and all aldermen present, a communication from the Cumberland Electric Lighting Company was read, and discussed at length by the council. The Electric Light Company offers its entire plant and equipment including pole lines, with the recent extension to the Royston sawmills, transformers, meters, office buildings and furniture and compensation for the unexpired term of the franchise for the sum of $125,000 cash, the offer to be binding for sixty days from February 23, the supplies on hand to be taken over at cost price at time of sale.

Mr Muirhead, of Vancouver, will be approached by the city and asked to make a survey of the electric light plant and report to the city at the earliest convenience.

A communication was also received from the Cumberland and Union Waterworks Company stating that "subject to the approval of the shareholders, the price of the entire plant will be $100,000 cash, offer being good for six months. The offer of the Waterworks Company includes Lot 25, Nelson District, dams, right-of-way to dams, pipeline, bridge, office furniture, supplies on hand and tools. The council decided to lay this communication on the table to come up for further discussion at the next meeting of the council.

Messrs. Dick and McKintosh were appointed auditors for the coming year at a salary of $150, books of the city and of the board of school trustees to be audited for the sum named.

Deaf Hear Again Through New Aid

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FATHER AND SON BANQUET HELD BY SCOUT ASSOCIATION

LADYSMITH, Feb. 26.—More than seventy-five sat down Saturday night to the father and son banquet held in St. John's Parish Hall here, under the auspices of the local Scout Association.

The banquet was held in honor of the chief Scout, Sir Robert Baden-Powell.

Mr. Thomas Collinge acted as chairman, and toasts were given and responded to by the following: Major Reid, Mr. Walter Steele, Mr L. O. Lailin, Rev. Balfour Bruce, Rev. W. R Brown and others.

A concert followed the banquet, the programme being varied and consisting of vocal solos, instrumental and recitations.

Rev. Balfour Bruce addressed the boys on the value of seizing every opportunity of developing the good work which they had started. The evening concluded by singing the National Anthem.

Football Match Is Won by Langford

COLWOOD, Feb. 26.—The football match between Langford and Colwood, played on the latter's field on Saturday, resulted in a win for the visiting team, the score being 2-0. Although Colwood was the better team they failed before the goal.

Following is the line-up.

Langford—D. Scafe, C. Brown, K. Brown, K. Hincks, R. Brotherston, O. Brotherston, Gong Quang, Oong Toun, N. Clarke, J. Smithe and J. Wilkinson.

Colwood—B Shields, W Piercy, A. Peatt, R. Colebert, J. Brown, D. Meadows, J. Wilson, S. Piercy, O. Walsh, R. Piercy and A. Simmonds. Mr. A. P. Sparks acted as referee.

Property Sold

OANGES, Feb 26.—The Salt Spring Land & Investment Company, Limited, has closed the sale of the late Major Myles' property, consisting of about one hundred acres, to Mr. Edgar Wakelin, of South Salt Spring.

TWO SERVICES ARE DESIRED

GARBAGE COLLECTION AND ISOLATION HOSPITAL ISSUES RAISED

Question of Expense Holds Nanaimo Council Back

NANAIMO, Feb. 26.—At the regular meeting of the City Council last evening, the question of an isolation hospital and a garbage collection system were the subjects of resolution which have been recently passed by the Local Council of Women and presented to the City Council last evening by a delegation from the Local Council of Women. On behalf of her organization, Mrs. Burt read the resolutions, which in effect asked the council what steps, if any, were being taken toward the establishment of a garbage system. Mrs. Drysdale, in referring to this, stated that at present many residents have been dumping ashes, old cans, etc., on vacant property, often property adjoining residences, and thus creating not only an unsightly pile, but also one with a menace to health. Wheelbarrows were often used, she said, to cart refuse from a residence to a vacant lot.

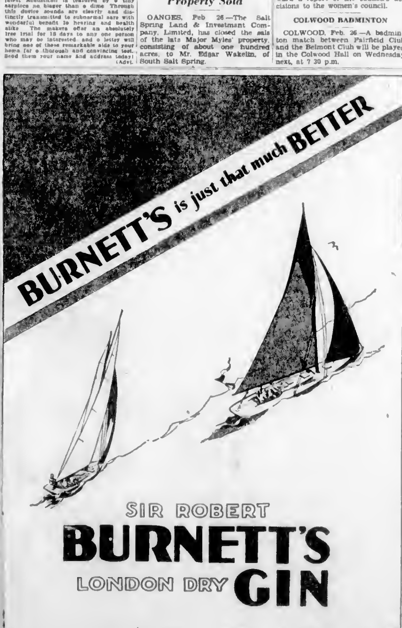
Mayor Busby explained that for five or six years the council had recognized the necessity of a garbage collecting system, but the cost had always been the stumbling block. At present he believed there were several responsible citizens who were willing to put in a system. It was a question which would have to be dealt with very shortly. As to an isolation hospital, he said that the council had recently met a delegation from the hospital board, and at present plans were being prepared, and estimates made as to the cost of a building. After these had been received, it would be necessary to pass a by-law, and personally, he wanted to see the people of Nanaimo unanimous in their desire for an isolation hospital. It would require a united effort to pass the by-law, but he had no doubt that if the question were properly put before the people, it would pass.

Alderman Ironside stated that the council had found that the cost of a garbage collecting system would be in the neighborhood of $12,000, and to be plain, the council could hold no hope of an immediate installation.

On motion of Alderman Ironside, it was decided to take the resolutions of the Local Council of Women up in committee, and later forward a report of the council's decisions to the women's council.

COLWOOD BADMINTON

COLWOOD, Feb. 26.—A badminton match between Fairfield Club and the Belmont Club will be played in the Colwood Hall on Wednesday next, at 7 30 p.m.



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VETERANS OPEN NEW QUARTERS

Ladysmith Unit Marks Occasion With Banquet—Initiation Ceremony Adopted

LADYSMITH, Feb. 25. — The local unit of the Army and Navy Veterans in Canada have removed to new quarters on the Esplanade, which were officially opened recently, the occasion being celebrated by a banquet and smoker.

Mr. Walter Steele, president of the local unit, occupied the chair at the banquet and proposed the various toasts.

After the tables were cleared, Mr. C O. Callin, president of the Provincial Command, occupied the chair and carried on the smoker to its termination.

A great welcome was given to the many visitors from Victoria and Nanaimo by Comrade Steele, and during the evening several addressed the assembly.

An initiation of new members was performed previous to the banquet. This was the first of its kind in Canada, but will be adopted as a whole in the near future by the Army and Navy Veterans, and active members will be initiated into every branch of the order.

The local unit is gaining in members, and they are all doing very good work in assisting in many ways those comrades who are not able to do much for themselves. Eighty per cent of those who have been assisted were not members of the Army and Navy Veterans, but were returned men, which shows the very broad lines on which the organization works.

LOCAL BADMINTON PLAYERS SUFFER DEFEAT AT DUNCAN

DUNCAN, Feb. 26.—In an inter-club contest between the "A" teams of the Duncan and Victoria Badminton Clubs, played at the Agricultural Hall on Saturday, the home team succeeded in winning ten out of the twelve matches played. The scores are given below, with the Duncan players the first named in each case

MIXED DOUBLES

E Leney and Mrs. Sheridan Rice defeated Hinks and Miss Miller, 15-5, 4-15, 10-15.

A Bazett and Miss Rice defeated Major and Mrs. Stuart, 15-6, 15-3.

Kingston and Miss Blythe defeated Austin-Lee and Miss Oates, 15-11, 15-6.

A Peel and Miss Bazett defeated Flett and Miss Pitts, 15-8, 15-4.

T. Bazett and Mrs. Dirom defeated Gibson and Miss Taylor, 17-16 15-9.

Smythe and Mrs. Purvey defeated Holmes and Mrs. Gibson, 17-4, 15-0.

LADIES' DOUBLES

Mrs. Rice and Miss Blythe lost to Mrs. Stuart and Miss Pitts, 15-17, 17-15, 15-18.

Miss Rice and Mrs. Purvey lost to Miss Miller and Mrs. Gibson, 2-15, 17-18.

Miss Bazett and Mrs. Dirom won from Miss Oates and Mrs. Taylor, 15-8, 15-9.

MEN'S DOUBLES

Leney and A Bazett beat Hinks and Austin-Lee, 15-8, 15-9.

Peel and T Bazett beat Stuart and Gibson, 15-3, 15-8

Kingston and Smythe beat Holmes and Flett, 15-2, 15-8.

NORTH SAANICH SERVICE CLUB

NORTH SAANICH, Feb. 26.—The regular weekly meeting of the North Saanich Service Club was held in the clubrooms, School Crossroads, on Saturday evening. There was a good attendance of members and friends who spent a pleasant time at progressive five hundred, which was played at fourteen tables. Keen competition and friendly rivalry for twenty hands, resulted in the ladies' prize being presented to Miss Rossiter, and the men's prize being awarded to Mr R. N MacAulay.

At the termination of the game, the supper committee served refreshments, and was assisted in serving by the younger members. The remainder of the evening passed very enthusiastically at dancing, which was continued until midnight, the music being supplied by Mrs Henry O. Horth at the piano and Mr. Reg. Beswick at the drums.

The dance committee announced that the annual St. Patrick's dance would be held in the clubrooms on Friday evening, March 15, and Heaton's orchestra has been engaged to supply the music. The usual waltzing competitions will be held during the evening and refreshments will be served.

MILITARY WHIST DRIVE AT GANGES

Successful Function Is Staged, With Sixty-Four Players Attending

SALT SPRING ISLAND, Feb. 26.—On Friday evening last a military whist drive, which seemed to be greatly enjoyed by all who attended, took place at Ganges at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smith, lent to the Ganges Chapter, Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire, for the entertainment, which was organized by Mrs. W. E. Scott, Mrs. Frank Crofton, Mrs. T. F. Speed and Mrs. Inglis. Sixty-four players, representing sixteen tables, took part, Mr A. J. Smith acting as M.C. The hostesses for the tables were: Mrs. W. E. Scott, Mrs. E. Walter, Dr. Sutherland, Mrs. E. A Crofton, Mrs. P. H. Walter, Mrs. Frank Crofton, Mrs. V. O. Best, Mrs. Moorehouse, Mrs. T. F. Speed, Mrs. A. Inglis, Mrs. J C. Kingsbury, Mrs. A. Elliot, Mrs. A. R. Price, Mrs. C. Springford, Mrs. A. J. Smith. At the end of the evening the prizes were presented by the regent, Mrs Scott, to Mrs. D. S. Harris, Mr. C. W. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smith, winners, Mr. and Mrs. E. Walter, Mrs. C. Beddis, Mrs. P. Lowther receiving the consolation. A short speech was then made by Mr W E Scott and responded to by Mr Smith.

Among those present were: Rev George Aitkens, Miss Aitkens, Dr. Bryant, Mrs C W. Baker, Mr. G. B. Benson, Mr K Butterfield, Mr. Norman Best, Mr E A. Crofton, Mr. Frank Crofton, Mrs. T Charlesworth, Misses Di and Doreen Crofton, Mr. and Mrs A. J. Eaton, Mr. A. Elliott, Miss F Engel, Mrs. Hardy, Mrs. J. D. Halley, Mr. S W Hoole, Mr. I. Halley, Mr. O. Hamilton, Miss Jessup, Miss B. Kingsbury, Mr. P. Lowther, Mrs C. McIntosh, Miss D. Moorehouse, Mrs. Price, Mrs. Harold Price, Mr. Reg. Price, Major and Mrs. A. Rowan, Mr H A Robinson, Miss W Sprenger, Mr Geoffrey Scott, Mr T. F. Speed, Mr. Eric Springford, Mr. T Slingsby, Major and Mrs P. C. Turner, Mr. D. Tye, Mr N. W. Wilson, Misses Lois and Shirley Wilson, Miss Clair Wilson.

CONCERT HELD AT QUALICUM BEACH

QUALICUM BEACH, Feb 26.—In aid of the school fund for garden space and sports grounds, a concert was held at the Community Hall on Saturday. The Hall was crowded. In addition to songs, recitations and dances by the various grades and high school pupils, which were all very well done and received many encores, there was outside help, Mr Mrs. and Miss Humphries, of Nanaimo, a very talented family, gave recitals on piano and violin. Mr. Gardener, with a good baritone voice, and Miss Griffin, with a rich contralto, were recalled again and again. The principal, Mr H Ferguson, Miss McQuarrie, Miss W Ogg and Miss Saunders are to be congratulated on the result of their satisfactory training. Over $60 was realized. Mr. C. G. Golding, the senior trustee, acted as chairman. Mr. Ferguson led the community singing, which was much enjoyed.

Steelheads are running in Little Qualicum River, and anglers had good sport on Saturday.

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Drives Out Pain

Duncan Hospital February Report Shows Busy Month

The monthly meeting of the board of directors of the King's Daughters' Hospital was held at the hospital on Wednesday. Those attending were: Mr. W. H. Elkington, chairman; Mr. T. A. Wood, vice-chairman; Mesdames J. H. Whittome, P. H. Price, J. L. Bird and H. Fry; Miss Wilson, Mr. R. Coates, representing Municipality of North Cowichan; Miss C. E. Jackson, lady superintendent, and E. W. Carr-Hilton, secretary-treasurer. Owing to illness in the family, Mrs. Hardie and Mrs. Miller were absent.

The house committee's report presented by Mrs. Whittome showed that January was a very busy month, the men's side being congested. A sewing bee was held at Mrs. P H. Price's on January 25 at which 110 articles were made for the hospital.

The lady superintendent's report showed that 67 patients were admitted, 66 discharged, 1,249 days' treatment, average 43.5. Services rendered, medical, 43; surgical, 47, infections, 6; obstetrical, 8; births, 5; deaths, 1; major operations, 3; minor, 38; general anaesthetics, 16; local, 8; plaster casts, 2; X-ray pictures, 26; electric treatments, 14; outpatients, 11.

There are still five nurses away, and for the three months of November, December and January there were 305½ days sickness amongst thirteen nurses.

The financial report for January presented by the treasurer shows receipts amounting to $5,440.77 and disbursements, $4,978.41; accounts passed for payment came to $4,072.54. The general turnover for the month was $2,275.25, the X-ray, $174.50. The board decided to accept the $1,800 grant from the Municipality of North Cowichan in lieu of assessments for the present year.

COMOX CREAMERY ASSOCIATION MEETS

Financial Statement and Balance Sheet Adopted, and Directors Chosen

COURTENAY, Feb. 26.—The annual meeting of the Comox Creamery Association was held here on Monday. The financial statement and balance sheet was passed after much consideration. The directors' report was next considered. The audited accounts showed a net profit of $9,765.37 for the year.

The number of shareholders at close of year is 314

The amount of butter manufactured was 229,225 pounds as compared with 275,380 pounds during 1927. Sweet cream has been shipped totaling 32,508 pounds butterfat in order to divert as much produce as possible in the higher priced channels. Average prices for the year were as follows: Per pound butterfat —Milk, 66c sweet cream, 50.3c; special grade, 46c; first, 44c; second, 41c.

The report was finally adopted.

Lunch was partaken in the adjoining dining-room of the Native Sons' Hall.

Mr. J B Munro, deputy minister of agriculture, who was present, addressed the meeting for some ten minutes. He appealed to the farmers to have more confidence in themselves, and stressed the necessity of reducing cost of production in order to compete in the markets. He pointed out the value of cow testing as a means of increasing proficiency and reducing costs.

The new directors are Messrs W A. B Paul (re-elected), W A Urquhart (re-elected), Vincent Bayly, and Mr William Duncan will fill the place of Mr O. W. Clinton, retired.

WORK RESUMED ON LIGHTING

UNDERTAKING STARTED LAST FALL, BUT FAILED OF COMPLETION

Installation of System at Deep Cove Will Be Proceeded With

DEEP COVE, Feb. 26 — The British Columbia Electric Railway Company has everything in readiness to resume work on the line in North Saanich, and expects to have it completed by the end of March.

A line is to be built from the School Crossroad and the West Saanich Road along the West Road to the corner of Maple Road, down the Birch and Ciniist Roads, along the waterfront on Madrona Drive, and up the Downey Road to the top of the hill.

This work was started last Fall and poles laid to and along Patricia Bay, but owing to unavoidable circumstances, has been at a standstill for about two months.

The electricians secured their contracts early, so that the houses were wired and ready to be connected up by the end of the year. Alterations have, however, since been made to comply with the new regulations owing to the high power voltage of the transformers situated at Sidney.

Saanich Farmers Hear Lecture on Poultry

KEATING, Feb. 25.—The South Saanich Farmers' Institute held their regular monthly meeting in Temperance Hall on Thursday, with a large number of members and visitors present. Mr. W D. Michell presided and the secretary Mr J. Spencer, gave the minutes of the previous meeting and the financial statement.

During the meeting the illness of Mr. George Stewart, one of the members, was mentioned with regret and good wishes for his speedy recovery were expressed.

The committee in charge of the ploughing competition to be held by the Institute in the near future will meet at the home of Mr. J Spencer on Monday evening to make final arrangements.

The pruning class held recently by the Institute at the farm of Mr. J. J. Young was not very well attended owing to the severe weather.

The speaker for the evening was Professor Amundson, whose topic was "Poultry." The various good points of the different breeds were explained, also hatching and feeding in a most interesting manner. Much excellent information was gleaned by the listeners, who moved a very hearty vote of thanks to the speaker.

METCHOSIN, Feb. 26. — The monthly meeting of the St Mary's branch of the Women's Auxiliary, will be held on Thursday next, February 28, at 2 30 p.m., at the home of the Rev and Miss Gemmill—not at the vicarage.

NEW JAIL IS TERMED URGENT

NANAIMO COUNCIL FEELS IT WILL BE NECESSARY TO HAVE EARLY ACTION

Provincial Authorities Will Be Approached on the Subject

NANAIMO, Feb. 26.—At the city council meeting last evening Alderman Renney brought up the question of the condition existing at the city jail and police station. In a space of twenty by thirty-six feet, he stated, six cells were located, two toilets and offices. Five or six officers were on duty, and the crowded conditions, when there were prisoners to look after, were a disgrace to the city. He thought that the matter should be taken up with the provincial authorities, and a better place provided for prisoners.

Mayor Busby stated that the time was not far distant when a new city hall would be required, and until that time, he did not favor the expenditure of a large amount on a new jail. He believed all city offices should be confined to one building, and the site of the present hall was an ideal one, providing the building was up-to-date. It was the Provincial Government's duty to furnish proper accommodation for prisoners, he thought.

Alderman Renney thought the idea of a new city hall was a good one, but in the meantime, something had to be done about a jail. The present one was not a fit place to put a human being in. He changed his motion to the effect that the provincial authorities be asked to take action in the matter.

Alderman Hart seconded, stating that the present premises never had been fit for habitation, and had been condemned by the grand jury. Alderman Ironside stated that he had been a member of three grand juries, all of whom had brought in recommendations for a new or larger police station and jail. The motion carried, and the provincial authorities will be communicated with.

EARLY CLOSING

The question of the early closing of hardware stores was brought up by Alderman Smith, who asked the legislative committee what was being done about the repeal of the by-law passed late last year compelling hardware stores to close at 5 o'clock. He said some were closing, and some keeping open at present.

Alderman Ironside, of the legislative committee, explained that originally the council had received a petition from the necessary number of hardware merchants, asking that they pass an early closing by-law. Just as this by-law was being put into force, another petition had been received, asking that the law be not passed. At the time of receiving the second petition, Alderman Ironside explained, it was pointed out that the council had no other course than to go on with the by-law. If, at the expiration of a reasonable time, it was found that the law was not satisfactory, the council could, upon the receipt of a petition signed by fifty per cent of the merchants affected, repeal the law. This petition had not been received, and the by-law is now operative.

Church Secretary Will Address Young People on Thursday

In connection with Dr. T. Albert Moore's visit to Victoria, it has been arranged that he will speak to the Young People's Society of the Wilkinson Road United Church on Thursday evening. Members of the Sidney, South Saanich, Oak Bay and Victoria societies have been invited, and any others who are desirous of hearing Dr. Moore will be welcomed. Dr. Moore is the secretary of the United Church of Canada, and will bring to his audience a helpful and inspiring message.

Football at Ganges

OANGES, Feb. 26.—The football match which took place last Friday afternoon on the Agricultural Grounds, between the Ganges Preparatory School and the Ganges Public School resulted in a win for the former, three goals to nothing.

On Saturday afternoon the Ganges Preparatory School was again successful, when they played St. Michael's School, Victoria, on the Agricultural Grounds, beating the visiting team with a score of four goals to two.

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SHARKEY AND STRIBLING TO FIGHT

Canadiens and Rangers Chalk Up Wins to Hold Leading Places in N.H.L.

Frenchmen Win From Pirates 4 to 0, While N.Y. Defeats Ottawa

Rangers Trounce Senators 2-0—Bruins Stay Right on Heels of Gothamites by 1-0 Win Over Maroons—Cougars Blank Hawks, 3-0

MONTREAL, Feb. 26.—Canadiens added another two-point margin to their collection at the top of the Canadian Section of the N.H.L. by romping through the Pirates to a 4-0 victory here tonight. The Corsairs were bad enough, but it could do nothing against the Canucks, who were playing their best hockey. Morenz scored two for the Frenchmen, while Joliat and Patterson got one apiece.

The Line-Ups

Pittsburgh		Montreal
Miller	Goal	Hainsworth
R. Smith	Defence	Burke
McCaffrey	Defence	S. Mantha
Predrickson	Centre	Lepine
Darragh	Wing	Gagne
Mitz	Wing	Joliat
Spring	Sub	Leduc
Bouchard	Sub	Morenz
Lowrey	Sub	Patterson
Drury	Sub	Mondou
	Sub	O. Mantha

Summary

First Period—Canadiens, Joliat, 11:30.

Second Period—2, Canadiens, Patterson, 19:30; 3, Canadiens, Morenz, 2:35.

Third Period—4, Canadiens, Morenz, 12:30.

RANGERS HOLD LEAD

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—The New York Rangers clung tenaciously to their lead in the American group of the N.H.L. by downing Ottawa 2-0 here tonight. The victory left the Rangers one point ahead of the Boston Bruins, who also turned in a victory. The game ended Ottawa's winning streak, with four straight victories. New York scored in the first and second periods and played a great defensive game to stave off Ottawa's closing rush.

The Line-Ups

Rangers		Ottawa
Roach	Goal	Gibson
Abel	Defence	Clancy
Bourgault	Defence	Smith
Boucher	Centre	Nighbor
Hill Cook	Wing	Primeau
Bun Cook	Wing	Klukay
Murdoch	Sub	Touhey
Thompson	Sub	Shields
Keeling	Sub	Clodin
Vail	Sub	Elliott
Carson	Sub	Grosvenor
Ontman	Sub	Boucher

Summary

First Period—1, Rangers, Murdoch, 17:31.

Second Period—3, Rangers, Keeling, 10:14.

Third Period—No score.

BRUINS TRIM MAROONS

BOSTON, Feb. 26.—The Bruins ended their 1929 series with the Montreal Maroons by slashing out a 1-0 victory here tonight in a brilliant hockey contest. The Maroons for two periods played the bonus off their feet, and it was not until midway through the final session that the Bruins were able to make any headway. Carson and Oliver broke through the Montreal defense pair and Oliver's shot winged its way past Benedict. The line-ups.

Boston		Maroons
Thompson	Goal	Benedict
Hitchman	Defence	Dutton
Shore	Defence	Boucher
Gainor	Centre	Phillips
Galbraith	Wing	Stewart
Oliver	Wing	Ward
Weland	Sub	Northcott
Mackay	Sub	Trottier
Carson	Sub	Hicks
Clapper	Sub	
Owen	Sub	

Gummary—

First period—No score.

Second period—No score.

Third period—1, Boston, Oliver, 11:31.

COUGARS BLANK HAWKS

DETROIT, Feb. 26.—The Chicago Black Hawks, tail-enders in the N.H.L., were shaded for the sixth consecutive time tonight when Detroit won a 3-0 victory.

Connors and Hay, wing men, counted the Cougars' first two scores in the second period. Connors scoring and Hay furnishing the assists. Chuck Gardiner, the Black Hawks' net guardian, made double the number of saves chalked up by Dolson, Cougar goalie, but he found shots from Connors and Hay hard to hold. The line-ups:

Detroit		Chicago
Dolson	Goal	Gardiner
Nelson	Defence	Wentworth
Hrydrex	Defence	Taylor
Connors	Centre	Ripley
Carson	Wing	Irvin
Hay	Wing	Gottselig
Herberts	Sub	March
Aurie	Sub	Arbour
Trudo	Sub	Couture
Brophy	Sub	McKinnon

Summary—

First period—No score.

Second period—1, Detroit, Connors, 3:36; 2, Detroit, Connors, 14:56.

Third period—3, Detroit, Cooper, 17:10.

OFFICIALS MAY GET RETURN GAME

"Scotty" Dowds, President of Island Basketball League, Wires Chinese Manager Regarding Game

J. C. "Scotty" Dowds, president of the Vancouver Island Basketball Association, stated last night that he had wired C. C. Lim, millionaire financier of the Chinese Students' basketball team now in New York, requesting the playing of a return game in this city.

Dowds, who did his utmost in making the initial game here such a wonderful success, is working hard to have the Orientals stage another game at the High School gymnasium against the Victoria capitals.

Information was received by Mac Leung, secretary of the Chinese Canadian Club from C. C. Lim, that the students would probably be hailed due to the immigration regulations. On this account the touring team has been forced to cancel their scheduled game in Montreal.

The students have played in six games since leaving this city, winning three and losing a like number. At Los Angeles the visitors lost out to the crack University of California quintette by a small margin, while they turned the tables on a strong team in Louisville, Kentucky, by a 31-22 score.

"Scotty" Dowds had arrangements also under way for the students to appear in several Upland cities before leaving for their native land. If the local officials are forced to let the Chinese board the steamer for home without performing, it will be a bitter pill to be badly disappointed. The game played here in which the tourists lost by four points, drew over a thousand spectators, one of the largest crowds ever to witness a cage game in this city.

Winnipeg to Be Scene of Allan Cup Ice Finals

PORT WILLIAM, Feb. 26.—The Allan Cup finals, which will decide the amateur hockey championship of Canada, will be played in Winnipeg March 16-28. President W. A. Fry, of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association, announced this date for the championship series, in a wire received by R. C. Chambers, secretary of the Thunder Bay Amateur Hockey Association, here today.

TOD MORGAN SIGNED FOR TITLE GO WITH SANTIAGO ZORILLA

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 26.—Hayden Wadhams, matchmaker of the Olympic auditorium, announced late today the signing of Tod Morgan, world's junior lightweight champion, and Santiago Zorilla, San Blas Indian, for a title bout here April 9.

Present Standing of Clubs in Old Country Soccer

Including games of Monday, February 25

ENGLISH LEAGUE—FIRST DIVISION

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts.
Sheffield Wednesday	30	19	4	7	67	31	45
Sunderland	31	18	6	7	74	40	43
Leeds United	31	18	6	7	61	37	43
Blackburn Rovers	31	16	8	7	81	41	39
Leicester City	28	16	4	7	49	30	36
Derby County	30	15	4	11	66	47	34
Leeds United	29	14	6	9	46	33	33
Manchester	29	13	6	10	57	44	32
Huddersfield Town	29	12	7	10	46	35	31
Arsenal	30	10	10	8	43	31	30
Bolton Wanderers	29	12	5	12	47	47	29
Newcastle United	31	10	9	12	51	60	29
Aston Villa	29	11	6	12	46	49	28
Burnley	29	11	6	12	44	52	28
Birmingham	29	11	6	12	38	57	27
Manchester City	30	10	7	13	41	51	27
West Ham United	30	10	5	15	41	66	25
Sheffield United	29	9	7	13	41	46	25
Bury	29	9	7	13	37	51	25
Cardiff City	31	7	11	13	24	43	25
Tottenham Hotspur	29	9	6	14	44	54	24
Portsmouth	30	9	3	18	39	67	21

SECOND DIVISION

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts.
Middlesbrough	29	17	5	7	66	41	41
Chelsea	29	14	8	7	48	37	37
Stoke City	29	15	5	9	48	36	35
Grimsby Town	29	15	5	9	56	46	35
Oldham Athletic	29	14	6	9	48	34	34
Swindon Town	29	13	6	10	46	37	32
Stoke City	29	12	6	10	33	33	30
Bradford	29	12	6	10	40	40	30
Preston North End	29	12	5	12	44	53	29
Bradford City	29	10	7	12	44	50	27
Blackpool	29	10	7	12	40	50	27
West Bromwich A.	29	10	7	12	39	52	27
Wolverhampton W.	29	10	6	13	44	51	26
Notts County	29	10	6	13	41	54	26
Fulham	29	10	5	14	41	44	25
Hull City	29	9	7	13	35	45	25
Bristol Rovers	29	9	6	14	40	48	24
Barnsley	29	9	6	14	39	47	24
Clapton Orient	29	7	10	12	35	51	24
Southampton	29	8	7	14	35	51	23
Port Vale	29	7	9	13	35	51	23
Reading	29	7	9	13	34	54	23
Darlington	29	7	8	14	34	54	22
Chesterfield	29	7	8	14	37	64	22
Lincoln City	29	7	7	15	37	61	21
Barnsley	29	7	6	16	35	61	20
Rotherham Utd.	29	6	8	15	32	59	20
Wolverhampton W.	29	7	5	17	32	61	19
Bristol City	29	6	6	17	32	61	18
Oldham	28	7	10	8	37	43	18
Millwall	28	7	10	8	37	43	18
Merthyr Town	30	6	6	17	37	70	18
Stockport	29	6	5	18	27	61	17

THIRD DIVISION—NORTHERN SECTION

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts.
Blackpool County	26	16	3	7	57	21	39
Rotherham County	26	16	3	7	41	15	39
Wrexham	26	15	6	5	56	33	35
Chesterfield Rovers	26	14	6	6	47	29	34
Halifax Town	26	14	6	6	41	29	34
Wigan Boro	26	14	6	6	33	23	34
Crewe Alexandra	26	13	6	7	44	29	33
New Brighton	26	13	11	2	44	30	33
Nelson Rovers	26	13	6	7	41	29	33
Lincoln Rovers	26	13	6	7	41	29	33
Halifax Town	26	13	5	8	41	29	31
Rochdale	26	13	5	8	41	29	31
Hartlepools Rovers	26	13	5	8	40	28	31
Southport	26	13	5	8	40	28	31
Stockport	26	13	5	8	40	28	31
Rotherham United	26	11	6	9	43	34	29
Barrow	26	8	6	12	40	42	22
Chesterfield	26	8	6	12	40	42	22
Southport	26	8	6	12	40	42	22
Hartlepools United	26	8	6	12	40	42	22
Barrow	26	8	6	12	40	42	22

SCOTTISH LEAGUE—FIRST DIVISION

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts.
Rangers	30	20	3	7	67	29	47
Celtic	30	18	5	7	67	29	43
Motherwell	30	16	6	8	58	40	40
Hearts	30	16	6	8	58	40	40
Aberdeen	30	15	7	8	58	40	38
Kilmarnock	30	13	8	9	61	46	35
Dundee United	30	13	8	9	61	46	35
Falkirk	30	13	8	9	58	49	35
Hibernians	30	13	7	10	58	49	33
St. Johnstone	30	13	7	10	58	49	33
St. Mirren	29	11	6	12	51	47	28
Partick Thistle	29	11	6	12	51	47	28
Cowdenbeath	30	10	10	10	47	54	27
Dundee	30	10	7	13	47	54	27
Queen's Park	30	10	7	13	47	54	27
Clyde	30	9	6	15	54	54	24
Airdrie	30	9	6	15	54	54	24
Hamilton Acad.	30	7	6	17	43	68	21
Raith Rovers	30	7	6	17	43	68	21
Raith Rovers	30	7	6	17	43	68	21

SECOND DIVISION

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts.
Dundee United	30	19	3	8	81	27	46
Leith Athletic	30	19	4	7	77	27	45
Morton	30	17	5	8	66	30	42
Dundee Rovers	30	16	6	8	66	40	40
St. Bernards	30	12	8	10	62	44	34
Arbroath	30	12	8	10	62	44	34
Leith Athletic	30	12	8	10	62	44	34
East Stirling	30	11	8	11	54	44	33
Raith	30	11	8	11	54	44	33
Dunfermline	30	11	8	11	54	44	33
Bathgate	30	11	8	11	54	44	33
Dumbarton	30	11	8	11	54	44	33
Queen of South	30	10	8	12	47	47	32
Kings Park	30	10	8	12	47	47	32
Clydebank	30	10	6	14	48	54	26
Albion	30	10	6	14	48	54	26
Arbroath	30	9	6	15	47	67	24
Bonnyrigg	30	9	6	15	47	67	24
Ayr	30	9	6	15	47	67	24
Bathgate	30	8	5	17	42	73	21

Principals in Tonight's Heavyweight Fight

Sharkey to Have Weight Advantage Over Stribling

MIAMI BEACH, Feb. 26.—Jack Sharkey will have an advantage of probably ten pounds for his bout tomorrow night. Official measurements, announced today, for the boxers follow:

	Sharkey	Stribling
Weight	191	181
Age	31	28
Height	6 ft. 1½ in.	6 ft. ¼ in.
Reach	76	74
Chest (normal)	42	39
Chest (expanded)	46	44½
Waist	34	32½
Thigh	23½	22½
Calves	15½	14½
Wrist	8	8½
Neck	18½	18½
Biceps	15½	14½
Ankle	10	9½
Forearm	13	12½

YOUNG STRIBLING

Every Angle of Big Fight to Be Written for The Colonist

EVERY angle of tonight's bout between Jack Sharkey and Young Stribling from the inside and outside of the ring will be available to Colonist readers tomorrow morning. In addition to the regular services, The Associated Press Alliance, of which The Colonist is a member, will give a special service over leased wire. Walter Trumbull will give the fight setting and the color stuff, in addition to writing the fight blow for blow, while Lou Magnolia, who will referee the mix, will give his angles from a referee's point of view. A second story from Magnolia will appear in Friday's edition.

OFFICIALS FOR HIGH SWIMMING GALA SELECTED

Everything in Readiness for First Annual Aquatic Meet of Victoria High School at Garden

22 EVENTS ON PROGRAMME

Everything is in readiness for the first annual swimming gala of the Victoria High School, to be held at the Crystal Gardens Saturday night, starting at 7 o'clock. The gala was originally planned for the first week in February, but owing to the cold weather it was put off.

According to the statement made by W. A. Roper, physical instructor at the Victoria High School, yesterday afternoon, there are close to 200 entries for the twenty-two events on schedule. Mr. Roper will look after the boys' events, while Miss Nora Miller has prepared a lengthy programme for the girl entrants. Competition of the keenest type is expected to take place in every race and all the students have been practicing hard.

Besides the programme, several members of the V.A.S.C. have signified their intentions of giving exhibitions of fancy diving and swimming.

The officials for the gala were made known yesterday by Mr. Roper and are as follows:

Ira Dilworth, referee; H. L. Smith, starter; Jack Stevenson, timer; H. Hughes, timekeeper; Tommy Wellburn and Bill Peden, diving judges; C. L. Campbell, announcer; J. J. McKim, recorder; P. Lasley, W. H. Webber, W. E. Cook and H. Cumberbirch, judges; Misses Mona Miller and J. Plant, timekeepers; J. Gough and W. A. Roper, stewards.

Students taking part in the gala are requested to obtain their entry tickets not later than tomorrow afternoon.

PROGRAMME

The committee in charge has drawn up the following list of events:

Girls

Fifty yards, free style, under eighteen years.

Fifty yards, free style, under sixteen years.

Fifty yards, breaststroke, open to all girls of the school.

Fifty yards, free style, for beginners.

Two hundred yards relay race for interyear competition (four girls to a team, swimming fifty yards each).

Diving, over fifteen years.

Diving, under fifteen years.

Swimming with lighted candles, open to all girls of the school.

Fifty yards, free style, for exhigh school girls.

Boys

Fifty yards, free style, under eighteen years.

Fifty yards, free style, under sixteen years.

Fifty yards, free style, under fourteen years.

Fifty yards, breaststroke, open to all boys of the school.

One hundred yards, free style, open to all boys of the school.

Fifty yards, backstroke, open to all boys of the school.

Two hundred yards, relay race for interyear competition (four boys to a team, swimming fifty yards each).

Diving, over fifteen years.

Diving, under fifteen years.

Diving for plates, open to all boys of the school.

Plunge for distance, open to all.

Fifty yards, free style, for exhigh school boys.

Tug-of-war, greasy pole, for members of the staff.

PAAVO NURMI ILL

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Two letters written in Finnish were received at the headquarters of the Amateur Athletic Union today from Paavo Nurmi, in which the Finnish runner declared that his failure to appear as scheduled at the national indoor championships at Madison Garden Saturday night was due to illness.

Loughran Picks Jack Sharkey to Win From Stribling on Points

Light-Heavyweight Champion Does Not Think There Will Be Any Knockout at Ten-Round Miami Beach Heavyweight Mix Tonight

BY TOMMY LOUGHRAN

Light-Heavyweight Champion of the World

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Jack Sharkey should defeat Young Stribling in their ten-round bout at Miami Beach tonight, but there will be no knockout. It seems reasonable to suppose that the bout will go the limit unless a foul ends it. Jack is a more orthodox boxer than Billy, and he is superior to holding and clinching, and though he is credited with having knocked out 113 men, there are no knockers in his list. However, he has speed endurance and really does hit hard.

TOMMY LOUGHRAN

Sharkey's record does not show him to be a knockerout, for he has flattened conspicuously few men. It seems to me that when he stopped Jim Maloney he did himself the greatest disservice possible. Thousands of people thought he had a pulverizing right hand. In following bouts he was always trying for a knockout. He neglected to box as he can box, against Henry, Risko and Dempsey.

But during the last few months Sharkey has turned to boxing again. He won the verdict over K. O. Christner by outboxing and not trying to outpunch the slugger from Akron. He came from behind, too, to win that decision.

I think Sharkey is in a little better condition than Stribling for this bout. Fighting once a week on an average for more than a year, the Southern boy began his training in too fine shape. He had to battle against the danger of going stale.

Sharkey, on the other hand, with only two fights in months, needed a couple of weeks to sharpen up. He trained hard for Christner, and being around 196 he could work evenly and take his time toward paring off the few necessary pounds.

The promotion of this bout has been one of the finest jobs ever seen. At the start there seemed no great interest. It seemed certain that the Madison Square Garden Corporation would lose thousands of dollars. Yet so well has the affair been handled that it will make money, and it has established the prestige of Bill Carey and Jack Dempsey as promoters. They have done a marvelous job. Miami Beach has backed the proposition to the limit, and the South—never a great boxing center—has become violently interested.

I would say that any bout of this size is a great thing for a place like Miami. Its success will be a wonderful boost for the game in a section of the country where it needs boosting. I would say that if Sharkey and Stribling put on a great battle—the sort they can stage—it will put the finishing touches to a great job of stage managing.

ENGLISH CRICKET CAPTAIN WILL PASS THROUGH THE CITY

According to information received here yesterday, A. P. F Chapman, captain of the victorious English cricket team, all present on a tour of Australia, will pass through Victoria on his return to home in England.

Victoria cricketers will arrange to meet the English captain on his arrival here. Chapman has distinguished himself by his playing "down under," for his team retained the "ashes" by capturing the first four of the five test matches played against the Australians.

The fifth test match will take place on March 8, and is expected to be finished by March 11. The English team has one more game after that, an exhibition at Perth.

THOUSANDS CROWD MIAMI BEACH FOR HEAVYWEIGHT BOUT

Hotels Are Packed and Private Cars and Yachts Are Pressed Into Use for Sleeping Quarters at Fashionable Resort—Both Fighters Confident on Eve of Battle

Little Money Being Bet as Gob Reigns Slight Favorite to Win

BY WALTER TRUMBULL

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MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Feb. 26.—The pine arrens in Flamingo Park stands waiting in the sunshine for the Stribling-Sharkey bout. Hotel walls even as far away as Coral Gables and Hollywood, bulge a little from the lightly packed rooms within. Residents near at hand are "sleeping" their friends on couches and cots. Private cars stand on the sidings of the Miami stations and those who brought them down are living in them. Yachts, with owners and guests, are lying at the piers. Even a few thousand more visitors can crowd a town which is already filled to capacity.

Not all of this crowd will attend the fight. Some can't afford it and they consider suitable. Others have merely been attracted by what they consider a big show. They are here to see the senators, the governors, the millionaires, the film Beach suits and Paris gowns. They will see plenty of them.

The nature of those around the ring will be as fashionable as the type in which they will be printed. Leaders of society and "Cue-Ball" Connolly, leaders of temperance and "Bootleg" Al Capone, leaders of conservative finance and Nick the Greek. They will all be there.

If the New York Board of Estimate wishes to find Jimmy Walker the head usher can designate his whereabouts. If the Democratic party is looking for Al Smith it is rumored that the former presidential candidate will see his first big bout in several years.

Here in Miami Beach is an appointment that some of the biggest of the nation will keep.

FINE WEATHER PROMISED

The weather man has promised that the day and evening will be fair and warm. It is to be hoped that he knows his staff. Only a severe and lasting storm can postpone the bout. In that case it will be held the following nights, but one may have come here from long distances, with arrangements made to leave on Thursday, to permit of postponement, if the battle possibly be off.

Sharkey and Stribling report themselves in fine condition and it appears to be a true report, although many thought Sharkey looked a little fagged as he went through his last light exercise at the dog track in Miami. Jimmy was Pauline Uccello's dog.

As little bits instated in pidgin French and used but as a nickel on the fight, Dempsey, Lou Magnolia, the referee, Sharkey, fighters and their managers, held a conference today and went over all probabilities. In the main, New York boxing rules will prevail. In case of a knockdown the man on his feet must go to the farthest neutral corner. If he does not, therefore, he will halt the count while the man who knocked him down picks up the count again where he left off.

Sharkey and Dempsey dread any ending on a foul. No claim of foul will receive the least consideration unless it is plain that one of the men is badly hurt, although Magnolia will, of course, caution the contestants against using low blows, and disqualify either man if he is guilty of that length.

One of the preliminaries will put Jack Renault in the ring in a battle royal. Some of those at the ringside are likely to find a couple of hundred pounds of dusky anatomy spread in their laps.

The fighters' corners are at the north and south points of the raised platform. If they take the proper ring, this will make this more of an intersectional affair than usual.

100,000 PROFIT

W. F. Carey and Jack Dempsey have done a great job. In New York Jack Dempsey-Stribling bout at prewar prices might not fill the Garden and bring in a gate of a million dollars. It has gone over the million mark. Rickard would have loved this bout. Perhaps somewhere he is smiling as he watches the Carey-Dempsey promotions counting his success from afar.

Annual Cricket Meeting to Be Held March 11

The annual general meeting of the Victoria and District Cricket Association will be held Monday, March 11, in the Chamber of Commerce at 8 p.m. Election of officers for the year will take place and arrangements for the coming season discussed. All interested are invited to attend.

CUBS LOSE AND CHANCES FOR PLAY-OFFS FADE

Dempsey Tells Story Of Shooting Affair To Scribe Trumbull

Box Office Sales and Other Announcements Lost in Thrilling Story of Promoter, Fitzsimmons and the Bandit—Arena Is Ready

By WALTER TRUMBULL
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MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Feb. 26.—Instead of the War of the Roses this Sharkey-Stribling affair is likely to become known as the battle of the ballyhoo and the bullet—Dempsey's one weakness as a promoter is that he cannot seem to get from between the spotlight and the principals in the coming boxing bout.

The fact that the box office sales of today were in the neighborhood of $25,000 and the announcement that Sharkey had finished his preliminary work were both lost in the thrilling story of Dempsey, Floyd Fitzsimmons and the bandit.

The time was five in the morning, an hour at which the palms are at their shadiest and most sheltering and the chickens—even at Deauville and the places of later entertainment—usually have gone to roost. It was, we repeat, so late that there was no sound of merriment, and so early that no crow at any alligator had arisen to greet the dawn.

The earlier part of the night had been dark and stormy. Gusty rains had pattered on tap and green and the palms had wrapped their branches about their heads as a protection from the warm but shattering wind which whistled in from the ocean. Toward morning it cleared and there was every promise of a calm and peaceful dawn, but details never happened.

TWENTY FEET WIDE.

Suddenly the darkness was shattered by a spiteful tongue of flame; the quiet, by the savage crack of a pistol shot. Bang! The bandit missed Jack Dempsey by twenty feet!

The place was the residence of Harry Moir, Dempsey's friend, and with whom Dempsey has been staying ever since his arrival here. To understand this mystery story, you must have the lay of the house. It stands well back, behind a fence, at the corner of Collins and Eighteenth Streets. The latter street runs beside the house and ends there at the ocean. Dempsey's windows look over the roof of a small extension onto Eighteenth Street. It was there the bandit car was parked. Dempsey showed me the wheel marks in the sand by the side of the paved street.

There is a door facing the lawn on Collins Street. As you enter, there is a stairway to the left. A hallway running at a little way, this stairway turns sharply to the right leading to a balcony, which extends around three walls, and on this balcony, the bedrooms open.

Dempsey's doorway is the second from the end of the stairway. This door swings in and indirectly against the side of Dempsey's bed which has its head against the wall beyond which runs the bandit's The bed in which Fitzsimmons slept is just beyond.

Now it would appear, is the proper time to introduce testimony. All good mystery stories fix time, place and witnesses. Dempsey himself took me over the scene of the affair and acted out the thing as we went along. Whatever dramatic critics may say, Jack Dempsey is a good actor.

"I don't know what woke me," he said. "But I became dimly conscious that someone was looking at me around the edge of the door. I did not think much about it, because I always sleep with the door open and frequently Harry Moir, if he happens to be in town, comes in late at night and peeks in to see if I am all right. I supposed that Fitzsimmons was asleep and pretended that I was, because I did not want to wake Fitz by talking. But I kept looking through half-shut eyes, and, as I became accustomed to the darkness, I saw that the man wasn't Moir.

"It was a little fellow, his head did not come over there— and Jack indicated a point on the door not much over five feet from the floor. "He had on some sort of a dark coat and lighter trousers, and I could see the glint of a white collar.

"I watched to see what he would do. He was leaning forward, apparently trying to see who was in bed. Just that Fitzsimmons called, 'who's there?'

GIVES ORDERS

"Shoo on that light,' ordered the man. He had a deep voice.

"I heard Fitz reach for the light and I put my hand against the door and slammed it shut. Then I locked the man out on the balcony and ran through the bathroom and out of the door of the next bedroom. The man had gone downstairs and was in the room below. I peeked over the edge of the railing but he is apparently thought I was coming down, because he fired at the turn of the stairs."

Dempsey showed me the mark in the plaster where the bullet had struck. This bullet was dug and been removed, but Mr. Fitzsimmons has bullets as proof. It was so intrified Mr. Tapscott, the Chicago bandit, a short, sqj noosd 38.

"Then," continued Dempsey, "we went back in the room. We had no firearms and no great hankering to chase a man with a pistol. We locked out of the window, but the car was behind the root projection and we didn't see it until it drove away. The man must have gone around the house and sneaked back to the car. My money and watch were on the bureau, but nothing was touched. I have, so far as I know, no enemies. Unless he thought he could kidnap me at the point of a gun, I don't know what he was after. I was not going to say anything about it but too many people knew it and I thought the right thing to do was to notify the police."

The police say it was a sneak thief.

I say that if any five foot two inch bandit thought he could abduct Jack Dempsey, the police should put out a drag net for an optimist.

ARENA READY

The men are ready and the arena is ready. This is an octagonal affair, fourteen feet in height at its tallest point and four hundred feet in diameter. It has seats for 13,000 spectators and 12,000 of these seats are priced at $15. The ring is twenty feet inside the ropes and twenty-three outside. It was erected by the Bartley Arena Corporation, and is the same ring in which Sharkey beat Willa, in which Jeanette beat Willa, in which Jeanette tunney and Dempsey battled, both at Philadelphia and Chicago.

The lights are all in place. Above the ring proper are hung forty-one bulbs of 1,000 watts each, giving a light approximating sunlight. This will make it a warm place for fighters and newspaper men, but will please the photographers. The photographers have asked for a fifteen foot tower, sixty-five feet from the ring. The other photographers will be in a similar relatively feet from the ring. Distributed around the arena for general lighting purposes are fifty-one bulbs of 1,000 watts each.

The arena today was a source of curiosity. Large numbers of curiosity visited it in large numbers. At one time 400 sightseers were counted in the enclosure. On Wednesday night it will cost them to get in and most of them will not have as good a view.

The gate, from present indications, should run over $340,000. Sharkey gets $100,000 and Stribling gets twenty per cent of the receipts after the deductions are taken. Dempsey's share is not announced, but I now believe he will get, at least, twenty per cent of any profits.

With Palm Beach moving over, New York going down and Miami coming up, I believe this will be the best dressed fight ever held.

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NAISHAPUR WINS ON FIRST START

Ned Cebrian's Colt Captures Allowance Race From Fast Field by Neck —Infinity Second

WAIMANU SPRINGS SURPRISE IN SIXTH

(Special to The Colonist)

TIJUANA, Feb. 26.—Three noses on the wire attested to the handicapping skill in arranging a three-year-old allowance race between nine candidates for the Tijuana Derby that will be run next Sunday. Ned Cebrian scored a win in his very first start when his colt Naishapur captured Infinity turning out of the back stretch and held Hon Pilot and The Tartar, who put up a great alley run. The Tartar was the one to rob out the first pace and "Chicago Eddie" Allen kept his mount from bolting to the outside trail, but was unable to keep The Tartar in advance of the fast-closing Hon. Naishapur won by a head, and Infinity took the place a neck in front of Taddymawa, Voltear, and his mate, Woodmen, of the Nevada Stables, were favored, but never figured. The mount has been blowing up the track in the morning hours, and lived up to the expectations of the ticket promoters.

The Canyon Stables (Ed Kickapoo, Irwin's Kit Carson and Carroll's The Tartar took the public for a bad ride in the sixth number, a five and a half furlong dash, for a set of maidens. Old Kickapoo, established as the favorite, was always well ahead and cut off the money, although Jockey Willie Barrett appeared to be trying to hustle the big bay into the contest. Trainer B. C. Bedwell had the winner Waimanu, who broke on top and went every post. Finnoy racing to the place, with Ben Pile third.

Results follow

Fifth race—Five and a half furlongs
Nifty (Collins) 112 on 111 on 1 3 20
Alvos (Jones) 1 40 6 00
Good nut (Ellis) 10 00
Time, :68 Also ran: Kinaston Mitt, Ivanhoe, Ivan Ivan, Ben Pile, Sunset Lass, Bird, Mirror Oak, Eternity Betrothed Valley, Dodive.

SIXTH NIGHT ENTRIES

First race—Four furlongs.
Berlin Bear 111
Resistance 112
Cartridge West 111
Ivanhoe 111
Gilbert 111
Old Mark 111
Lakeside 111
Vaughnd 112
Ben Pile 111
Scotsman 111
Pride of Texas 111
Gambling 111
Mation-Wide 111
Pilot 111
Phil K 111
Tallmeter 111
Sunbaby 111
Thbola 111
Second race—One mile.
Lady Yellow 111
Reverse Smile 111
Royal Plan 111
Confidant 111
Ben Ali 111
Freeheater 111
Scarlet Eagle 111
Mirry 111
Carrier 111
Jerome 111
Dove Boy 111
Wardina 111
Sweeny 111
Jaldo 111
Ben Lomond 111
Peaces Oak 111
Wee Girl 111
Baile Pal 111
Third race—Five and a half furlongs.
Sunbeam 111
Pre-Colonial 111
Pasadena 111
Cowlitz 111
Kathleen 111
Ruddy 111
Sunset Stables 111
Delphia 111
Ivanhoe 111
Nifty Lass 111
Ocean Gem 111
Fourth race—Mile and a sixteenth.
Ben Ali 111
Sunset Stables 111
Ruddy 111
Sunset Stables 111
Delphia 111
Ivanhoe 111
Nifty Lass 111
Ocean Gem 111
Fourth race—Mile and a sixteenth.
Ben Ali 111
Sunset Stables 111
Ruddy 111
Sunset Stables 111
Delphia 111
Ivanhoe 111
Nifty Lass 111
Ocean Gem 111
Fifth race—Five furlongs.
Beauty Marquerite 111
Ben Ali 111
Sun Dial II (Sartoris) 1 00 1 20
Red (Schuler) 4 00
Time, :13 2-5 Also ran: Little Brown, Rose Wamsun, Ad Jolo, Trishander, Ben Ali, Sun Dial II, Red, Ben Ali,

FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

MARKET SWAYS NERVOUSLY AS RATE GOES UP

Some High-Priced Issues Sent Soaring by Pool Operations—Trading in U.S. Steel is Heavy

COPPERS CONTINUE IN GOOD DEMAND

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Prices fluttered about nervously on the stock market today as call money again rose to 9 per cent, but they were inclined to seek higher levels under the leadership of a few high-priced issues sent soaring by pools.

Heavy trading developed in United States Steel. The stock rose to 190 7-8, within less than 2 points of its record, but fell back to 186 7-8, a net loss of 2 1-2 points.

Oils encountered stronger support than for some time past.

Adams Express was tossed up 33 points to a new high at 475, and Radio was sent up 24 points to 390.

Allis Chalmers, A. M. Byers, Commercial Solvents and American Express mounted 8 to 13 points, the last touching a new peak.

In the coppers, Anacooda, Chile and Inspiration mounted 2 to 4, and Kennecott selling ex-dividend (its 100 per cent stock dividend), was heavily accumulated. Atlantic Refining, Houston and Mexican Seaboard led the oils, with extreme gains of 3 to 6 points, while Sinclair, Marland and Standards of New York and New Jersey made moderate gains.

Motors were irregular, Chrysler and Nash encountering selling pressure, while Packard mounted 3 points.

Bethlehem Steel fell back 3 points on profit-taking, and Otis Elevator dropped 1. Allied Chemical, American & Foreign Power, Atchison, Collins & Aikman, Filenes, Crosley, National Cash Register and Wright Aero were also under pressure. Johns-Manville sold off 4 points, then rallied. American Woolen shares touched new lows for the year.

Foreign exchanges were somewhat inclined to heaviness. Sterling was slightly lower.

A sharp advance in Anaconda Copper 7's and strength in U.S. Steel 5's today failed to stem the general decline in the bond market. Selling was heaviest in the first grade rails and public utilities. More than a dozen issues established new lows for the year.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Foreign exchanges steady.

France—3.90⅛, cables 3.90⅝.
Italy—5.23⅝, cables 5.23⅞.
Belgium—13.87.
Germany—23.71.
Holland—40.03½.
Norway—26.68½.
Sweden—26.71⅛.
Denmark—26.65⅛.
Spain—15.37.
Greece—1.29⅛.
Czechoslovakia—2.96⅛.
Jugoslavia—1.76.
Austria—1406.
Rumania—.59⅝.
Argentine—42.12½.
Brazil—11.90.
Tokio—44.96.
Shanghai—62.62.
Montreal—99.90.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Demand 484⅞; cables 485⅛; sixty-day bills on banks 480⅛.

AT VICTORIA

Buying 483½; selling 486½.

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Allied Chem	296-6	291	293
Amerada Corpn.	61	31-4	93
Am Can	117-7	116-4	117-1
Am Car & Fdy	97 6	97-0	97 4
Am For Power	112	112-4	112 4
Am. Locomotive	109 2	108-4	109-7
Am Smelters	118-4	114-6	110
Am Steel Fdy	71 4	69-4	90 5
Am Sugar	86	86	86
Am Sum Tob	56-6	66	88
Am Tel & Tel	215	212 7	215
Am Tobacco	174	174	174
Am Tobacco "B"	174-2	174-1	174 1
Am Woolens	20-0	20-5	20-5
Anaconda	120-4	130 3	128
Armour "A"	10-3	15	15-2
Ass'd Dry Goods	60 0	68 4	60 5
Atlantic Gulf	24 4	24 4	24-5
Atlantic Refinery	67-7	65 1	67
Atchison	207	206	209
Auburn Motors	102	182	187
Baltimore & Ohio	124-4	123-6	124
Bansor & Ar'st'k	65 2	64 2	64-2
Ocrn-dall "A"	40-6	38 1	40-1
Bethlehem Steel	100 2	97-0	97-6
Brooklyn Manhat	78-2	77 2	77 0
California Packing	80 4	77 4	80
Calumet & Ariz	134	130 0	131-6
Calumet & Hecla	50 2	56-4	56 2
Can Dry Ginger Ale	89 1	80-6	80-6
Canadian Pacific	250	249 4	249-4
Cerro De Pasco	112	107 4	111
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Union Pacific	224	222	221
U S Cast I Pipe	40	30 4	30-4
U S Ind Alco	142 6	141 6	141 6
U S Rubber	53 6	62 1	53-8
U S Steel	190 7	186 0	187 1
Underwood Typ	105-7	104	104
Union Carbide	211-2	209 2	211 2
Util Power & Light	45 3	45	46
Vacuum Oil	121	121	121
Vanadium	108	106 4	107-4
Victor Talk Mach	164-4	160 5	163 0
Wabash	72	72	72
Westing Air Brake	50	48 2	48 4
Westing Elec	160-2	151	152
White Motor	31-2	30 4	31
Willys-Overland	31 2	30-6	31
Woolworth	201 2	200 2	200 4
Wright Aer Cpn	277	269	271 7
Yale Towne	69-2	68-4	66-6
Yellow Sh & Te	116-4	114	115
Yel Trk & Coach	36	37-2	38

Montreal Exchange Seat Is Bought for $50,000

MONTREAL, Feb. 26.—Announcement is made of the sale of a membership on the Montreal Curb Market at $50,000, representing an increase of $8,000 over the previous high level established February 6.

CHICAGO FEELS WHEAT BREAK

Grain Sells at Nearly One Cent Below Previous Closing Price, With Fair Demand

LITTLE CALL FOR SOUTHERN CORN

(Supplied by B.C. Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—The wheat market was easier on further liquidation and local selling, which caused a break of nearly a cent under the previous close, but commission houses were fair buyers on the decline and with strength in corn shorts covered, causing a rally of about 2 cents. There was little in the news to account for the upturn. Weather over the Winter wheat belt was generally favorable. Export demand at the seaboard was reported as slow.

Liverpool did not fully respond to yesterday's decline, but closed ¾ to 1 cent lower, with further hedging sales against Argentina as a factor. Argentine exportable surplus was privately estimated at 210,000,000 bushels with 44,000,000 bushel clear since January 1, and we believe wheat should be sold. Corn market opened higher and displayed a strong undertone throughout the session. There was persistent local and commission house buying.

Prices advanced about 2 ½ cents over the previous finish, and best prices were recorded at the close. Kansas City cash market was strong and exporters were credited with buying. There was handling and marketing corn and the movement is expected to remain small until after Spring farm work is completed. We still feel friendly to corn and believe the spread between wheat and corn will continue to be narrow.

MONTREAL STOCKS

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Alta Pacific Grain	50 4	47 6	50 4
Abitibi	40	41	40
Asbestos	16-4	16-2	16-2
Asbestos pfd	50	50	60
Atlantic Sugar	14-4	14	14 4
Ass'd Breweries	30 4	29	30 4
B A Oil	51-6	49 0	51-4
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Hiram Walker	53-4	57-4	53-4
Massey Harris	90	85	85 2
McColl Frontenac	34-4	34-4	34-4
Montreal Power	111	110-6	111
National Breweries	134	133	134
Noranda	62	61 5	61 6
Page Hersey	130	130	130
Penmans Ltd	104	109	104
Power Corpn.	118-4	117	117
Shawinigan	87	85-5	87
Steel of Canada	61	60	60-6
Winnipeg Elec	85-4	84 2	84-2

METAL MARKETS

LONDON, Feb. 26.—Standard copper, spot £79 17s 6d; futures £80 12s 6d. electrolytic, spot £85 5s; futures £85 15s.

Tin, spot £220 12 6d; futures £222 5s.

Lead, spot and futures £23 12s 6d.

Zinc, spot and futures £26 5s.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Copper steady; electrolytic spot and futures 18 1-2 asked.

Iron, steady, unchanged.

Tin, steady, spot and futures 48.78 to 49.00.

Lead, firm, spot New York 6.95; East St. Louis 6.85 to 6.90.

Zinc, steady, spot and futures 6.35.

Money at Work

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Victoria Stock Exchange

MINING

	Bid	Asked
Dalhousie		.33
Dunwell		.25
George Copper		10.00
Indian		.10
Kootenay Florence		.24
Malaspina	.07	.09
National Silver (O.S.)		.20
Oregon Copper		.70
Pend Oreille, com.	13.00	14.00
Premier	1.00	1.05
Rufus-Argenta		.40
Silvercrest		.11
Slocan King		.10
Terminus	.09	.10
Whitewater, com.		1.40

OILS

	Bid	Asked
A. P. Cons.	1.70	1.65

UNLISTED

	Bid	Asked
Georgia River	.02	.05
C. & E. Land	25.00	
Silverile		.30
Wellington	.10	.20
George Enterprise		.38
Northern Light		.25
Marmot Gold	.06	.09
United Empire		.13½
Mohawk	.05½	.07
Noble Five		.72
Kootenay King		.42
Morton Woolsey		.09½
Associated Oil	2.40	3.00

MORNING SALES

Georgia River—1,000 at 15.
George Enterprise—100 at 30.
Associated Oil—100 at 2.50.

AFTERNOON SALES

Associated Oil—100 at 2.60, 100 at 2.75.
Ruth-Hope—100 at 40.
Dalhousie Oil—500 at 2.25, 100 at 2.35; 100 at 2.50.
A. P. Cons.—600 at 1.70.

VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver	1.10	
Bayview	.02½	.04
Beaver Silver	.11	
Big Missouri	1.87	1.90
Cork Province	.17	.18
Cotton Oil	.40	.60
Dalhousie		.22
Dunwell	.45	
Duthie	.50	
George Copper	9.00	1.00
George Enterprise		.30
Georgia River	.08	.58
Gladstone	.13½	.14
Golconda	1.00	1.18
Grandview	.62	.63½
Home Oil	13.00	13.75
Independence	.10½	.10¾
Indian Mines		.07
Kootenay Florence	.18	.21
Kootenay King	.38	.38½
L. & L.	.04	
Lakeview		.02
Lucky Jim	.17	.18
Marmot Metals	.05½	.06
Marmot River Gold	.07½	.08
Mohawk	.05⅞	.06
National Silver (OS)	.18	.20
Oregon Copper	.71	.72
Porter-Idaho	.59½	.62
Reeves-McDonald	3.35	3.60
Rufus-Argenta	.36	.36½
Ruth-Hope	.44	.45
Silverado	1.10	1.12
Silvercrest	.09	.10
Slocan King		.09
Slocan Rambler	.18	.21
Snowflake	.20	.20
Sunloch	3.00	3.20
Topley Richfield	.40	.41
Toric Mines	1.10	1.25
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MORNING SALES

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AFTERNOON SALES

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Grandview 4,700 at 61, 11,100 at 62.
Independence 3,000 at 10½, 6,500 at 10½.
Woodbine—2,000 at 04½, 100 at 09.
Kootenay Florence—1,000 at 18, 550 at 20.
Kootenay King—1,000 at 35, 3,000 at 39, 900 at 38½.
L. & L. 1,000 at 04½, 1,250 at 09.
Leadsmith 1,000 at .04½.
Lucky Jim—900 at 17.
Marmot Gold—1,000 at 07½, 7,000 at 07½, 14,500 at 09.
B.C. Electric—1 at 100.00.
Mohawk 4,500 at 09.
National Silver 1,000 at 12.
Oregon Copper—60 at 71, 9,000 at 71½; 1,000 at .72.
Pend Oreille—900 at 13.00, 900 at 13.00.
Planet Mines—500 at 50.
Premier Border 500 at 43.
B.C. Montana—4,500 at .09 1-10.
Premier Gold—450 at 1.04, 900 at 1.05.
Porter-Idaho—300 at 60.
Ruth-Hope—400 at 43, 4,500 at 44; 500 at 44.
Silvercrest 1,100 at 10.
Reeves-McDonald 2,200 at 3.60.
Rufus-Argenta 1,000 at .36½.
Silvercup—1,000 at 40.
Silverado—150 at 1.00, 300 at 1.10.
Slocan King 4,000 at 7½.
Terminus—100 at 11.
Topley Richfield—4,300 at 09.
Toric 200 at 1.25.
Wellington—3,000 at 14½.
Whitewater—1,000 at 1.15, 100 at 1.30; 1,300 at 1.24.

Pabyan—1,000 at 07; 300 at 07½.
A.P. Consolidated—7,500 at 1.75, 1,200 at 1.77; 8,375 at 1.70, 1,000 at 1.79, 250 at 1.00.
Advance Oil—50 at 1.10, 400 at 1.11.
Coalmont Oil—330 at 1.00, 500 at 1.03; 430 at 1.00.
Dalhousie Oil—300 at 2.40, 800 at 2.40.
Devenish—100 at .55, 1,500 at .58, 200 at .60.
Home Oil—112 at 12.25, 30 at 12.25, 10 at 12.40, 2,100 at 12.50, 640 at 12.00, 50 at 12.75.
Mayland Oil—200 at 4.05; 425 at 5.00, 900 at 5.00, 800 at 5.10, 400 at 5.15, 1,200 at 5.25.
Ocean Enterprise—500 at 30.
Illinois-Alberta—100 at 1.30, 2,000 at 1.33, 1,450 at 1.25, 1,455 at 1.30.
McLeod Oil—110 at 2.85, 80 at 3.00, 800 at 4.00.

Oil Report on Vancouver Market

(Supplied by Miller, Court & Co., Ltd.)

VANCOUVER, Feb. 26.—Oil issues which have been the feature of the local market during the last week, suffered profit-taking recessions generally this morning. Home Oil opened at $12.50, a net loss of 20 points for the session. A.P. Consolidated was an erratic and heavy trader. This issue opened at $1.75, soared to a high of $1.85, slumped to the opening price, but closed at $1.76. Mayland opened strong at $5.25, sold to a high of $5.76, but dropped back to close at $4.10, the low for the session as the result of heavy selling, following the announcement of the company to increase the capitalization from $3,000.00 to $5,000.00. Illinois-Alberta, in sympathy with the other oil issues, spurted from $1.30 to a high of $1.40, but closed at the opening price. Whitewater held its advance of yesterday, ranging between $1.25 and $1.20, closing at the former figure. Whitewater was probably the only mining issue which has not suffered from the oil market. Pend Oreille suffered a further recession from $13.25 to close at $13 on a fair turnover. Pend Oreille is being snapped up at present prices in anticipation of a very marked advance within a very short time. Reeves McDonald opened at $3.60, but dropped back in sympathy with Pend Oreille to close at $3.40. Big Missouri had a light turnover between $1.90 and $1.85, but closed at $1.92. Corp Province continued steady between 17 1-2 and 18. Bluebird held firm at 20, with a small block turning over at 20 1-2. Topley Richfield ranged between 40 and 42, closing at 41.

Grandview, third of the famous Metaline group, had heavy turnover between 63 and 61, closing at the latter price. Noble Five was firm around 69. The volume of trading on the market today continued to be very heavy and good trading is expected during the balance of this month.

Whitney Letter

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Whitney, of the Wall Street Financial Bureau, says today:

Yesterday's market was held in check for almost the entire session by reports that call money would go at least 10 per cent, and possibly 12 per cent, but no fulfillment of this rumor was witnessed. On the contrary, not only did the rate not hit 10 per cent, but before the close funds were available in the outside market at least 1-2 per cent below the closing official rate of the day. While there are still two days remaining, I believe that the full effect of month-end requirements has already been reflected in the call money market, and by tomorrow, if not today, the trend of call money will again be downward until the rate is back to 6 per cent. Since at the moment near-term market action is governed largely by the hopes and fears surrounding money and credit, I believe we can look forward to an irregular but higher market with no substantial increase in volume, but with such activity and price movement as is witnessed, confined to advances. There is some indication that a change is taking place in Federal Reserve quarters concerning the method to be adopted to stop the flow of funds to New York speculative purposes. The policy of restricting credit accommodation will undoubtedly be continued, but is not to be accompanied by an endeavor to force money rates higher, the thought at the moment being that the flow can be stopped if the call loan rate is brought more closely into line with the commercial rates, as to make it unprofitable for corporations to borrow on their commercial paper and reloan those funds to the stock market.

Still can find no reason for recommending profit-taking in the copper group with both stock prices and metal prices continuing to establish new highs, but on the other hand, without encouraging new commitments in the stocks of the metal producers, believe that new commitments in American Smelting & Refining are warranted while the stock continues available below its high of the year. American Smelting earned approximately $10 a share last year, but the improvement which has taken place in the metal market since the first of the year promises a much higher rate per share in 1929. I expect the stock to be established some $20 per share higher before the current advance draws to a close. Denver, Rio Grande & Western preferred has had its first reaction since it was recommended here. This reaction having amounted to approximately a third of the advance, I believe is sufficient to warrant another buying recommendation for those who have not thus far acquired this stock. Consolidated Aircraft Corporation has started its advance which can be followed so long as the issue remains in the 30's. I would take advantage of the reactions which have taken place in the New York tractions to buy them, anticipating that the decision in the Interborough case will come on Tuesday of next week.

SILVER MARKETS

LONDON, Feb. 26.—Bar silver, per ounce 26d.

AT NEW YORK

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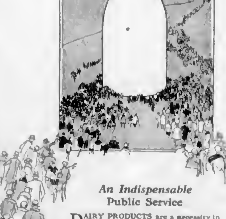

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LIQUIDATION IS PROCEEDING

Wheat Prices at Winnipeg for May Contracts Show Influence of Strong Market Pressure

CASH MARKET REMAINS QUIET

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co. Ltd.)

WINNIPEG, Feb. 26.—Liquidation of long wheat was again in evidence during the first part of today's session, and prices were forced down another cent from last night's close, the May contract reaching $1.31 on this break. Better support was forthcoming with some good buying by strong interests, and the market regained most of the early loss, but the pool commenced selling July wheat on a broad scale, and the market again sank to the low marks. Again good buying developed, with country orders coming in, while many of those who sold yesterday were reinstating their long lines, and prices advanced 1 3-4 cent from the low mark, getting well over last night's close, while the pool was selling all the way up. Export business was again small, although a little business was worked out of Vancouver late yesterday. The local cash market was quiet, but a fair demand existed from shippers with practically nothing being offered. Spreads were unchanged to 1-4 better. Elevator companies who are the chief holders of wheat are not selling and appear to be not interested, and spreads would have to be boosted a full cent to get any round lots. The pool is out with an official statement that it will make another payment next week of 12 cents on all straight grades down to No. 5 wheat, and 10 cents on No. 6 and the various off grades. This will make a total payment of 97 cents, basis No. 1 Northern, Fort William, and is generally considered very small as pool members and the trade were expecting a payment of 15 or 20 cents based on average prices that have prevailed throughout the season. Unfavorable crop reports continue to come in from the South, and heavy damage is said to have taken place to wheat that has been covered with ice for several weeks. Winnipeg futures closed 1-2 to 1-4 higher.

Coarse Grains: These markets were all easier during the first part of the day in sympathy with wheat, but rallied later to close fractionally higher. Trade volume was not large and little export business could be confined in anything. Some sellers of yesterday were reinstating on the early dip this morning.

FUTURES

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	132	133⅞	131	132⅝
July	133¾	134¼	132¼	134
Oct	131½	132⅞	131	132¾
Oats—				
May	80⅝	81	80⅜	80⅝
July	80¼	80⅜	80	80⅜
Oct	88⅜	89⅞	33⅝	88½
Rye—				
May	116¼	119¼	116¼	118¾
July	113½	114⅝	113½	114½
Oct	109	108⅞	107⅞	108⅝
Barley—				
May	80⅛	80⅜	80	80⅜
July	79⅜	80¼	79⅝	80
Oct	73⅝	73½	73	73⅝

Flax—				
May	210½	212¼	210½	211⅞
July	208	209⅞	208	209½

LIVERPOOL

Open—⅛ to ¼ lower

Close—⅛ to 1 lower

CASH GRAIN CLOSE

Wheat—1 Nor. 129⅛; 2 Nor. 126; 3 Nor. 121⅛; No. 4, 118⅝; No. 5, 104⅝; No. 6, 89⅛; feed, 79⅝; track, 129⅛.

Oats—2 cw. 72⅞; 3 cw. 69; extra 1 feed, 68⅞; 1 feed, 63⅞; 2 feed, 50⅞; rejected, 47⅞; track, 70⅞.

Barley—3 cw. 79⅞; 4 cw. 72⅞; rejected, 70⅞; feed, 67⅞; track, 78⅞.

Flax—1 nwc. 207⅞; 2 cw. 202⅞; 3 cw. 198⅞; rejected, 193⅞; track, 206⅞.

Rye—1 cw. 113⅞; 2 cw. 110⅞; rejected 3 cw. 193⅞; rejected, 183⅞; track, 208⅞.

Toronto Mines

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	Sales	High	Low	Close
Abana	4,785	2 38	2 30	2 37
Aconda	7,000	31	30	.30
Amily	2,190	38	37½	38
Amulet	22,400	2 60	2 60	2.65
Apex	22,000	08½	06	08
Arno	5,500	60	.61	.62
Bathurst	9,500	25	20	22
Bedford	1,500	65	60	65
Bidgood	4,000	40	40	40
Big Missouri	19,900	1 83	1 85	1 86
Boischatel	9,000	02¼	02¼	02¼
Cap Rouyn	4,500	08	.82	.82
Buckingham	1,500	.11	11	11
Castle	500	60	29	60
Clericy	12,000	20	27	28
Col Kirkland	2,000	02½	02½	.02½
Copper Hill	9,500	46	42	43
Corona	1,000	03½	00½	.03½
Gold Hill	2,000	07	02	.07
Goodfish	4,000	19	19	18
Granada	5,000	24	22	22½
Siscoe	900	1 20	1 20	1 00
Mandy	300	1 46	1 43	1 45
Man. Basin	38,600	73	65	68
Sew Sickel	1,700	62 00	61 00	61 00
Hollinger	900	9 20	9 23	9.25
Howey	7,800	1 44	1 35	1 39
Hudson Bay	500	22 70	22 00	22 70
Kirkland Lake	100	1 27	1 27	1 27
Koot Flor	9,500	21	20	21
Lake Shore	1,000	23 06	21 73	22 00
Laval	300	06	09	06
Malartic	4,500	74	.73	.73
McIntyre	100	21 00	21 00	21 00
Mining Corp	1,000	9.70	3 00	9 75
Murphy	3,300	40	40	40
Newbec	3,500	30	38¼	38½
Noranda	800	62 00	61 25	61 25
Pend Oreille	800	12 00	12 25	12 25
Premier	2,500	1 94	1 00	1 90
San Antonio	1,000	18	19	.19
Sher Gordon	5,000	8 00	8.70	8.00
Gladstone	300	14	14	.14
St. Anthony	3,700	82	80	.81
Sud Basin	17,500	12 00	11 99	11 75
Tamagamac	600	2 50	2 40	2 40
Teck Hughes	9,200	8 13	8 00	8 15
Tread. Yukon	100	12 00	12.85	12.88
Vipond	7,700	1.19	1 19	1 18
Wright Har	14,100	9 20	2 20	2 29
Grandview	500	.60	60	60
Falconbridge	3,000	14 00	13 70	13 70
Golconda	100	1.00	1 00	1 00
Ventures	1,800	12 00	11 75	12 00

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WALL STREET GOSSIP

Many important interests that always have much to do with directing price movements were extremely bullish in their market opinions and public position after the close yesterday. According to their statement, they expect steady and important advances in various stocks during the remainder of the week.

Bethlehem Steel had a strong following, which holds to the view that it should sell nearer to the level of steel.

The motor group generally is regarded as being now in a position for bullish activity, but at the time most favor is shown to Nash motors, in which the buying yesterday was of an extremely strong character. The stock was taken all through the day by one firm handling high-class accounts, and its purchases yesterday could not be regarded as of a speculative character. Earnings of the company are understood to be running in such large volume as to fully warrant the stock being established at a materially higher level.

There was bullish talk also on American Can, and some of those who have information about coming movements in the market were positive in the opinion that it will soon have another vigorous advance.

Railroad earnings so far reported for the month of January are regarded with satisfaction by those concerned in the management and control of many of the railroad systems banking buying is expected in many of those stocks from now on.

Missouri Pacific was specially favored by one important group that was a heavy buyer of the stock yesterday.

COMING EVENTS

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—While we expect a good many stocks to sell much higher before June, we would not get too bullish on the stock market now. Do not bid for stocks but, on the other hand, do not be afraid to buy the good ones during reactionary periods.

United States Steel—While X has advanced sharply since we recommended it last Wednesday, and may react as a result of realizing sale, we are nevertheless impressed with the calibre of buying which is taking place in the issue and we think it should be held for a majority move, which could easily carry it up to around 225 before the middle of this year. Allied Chemical & Dye Works acts strong, and should be held.

While A.C.D. may seem to be selling high enough on the basis of current earnings, two important factors should be considered, its earnings have increased in each year since 1921 with the single exception of 1924, and have trebled since 1921, and Allied is just beginning to produce from its new nitrogen plant at Hopewell, and earnings from that source should become an increasingly important factor during the next two or three years.

Timken Roller Bearings earnings for the first half of 1928 equalled $2.66 per share. The final report for the year should show between $5.00 and $6 per share net, since second half operations were better than those of the first half. The outlook for 1929 is very promising, and the stock should sell much higher.

A. M. Byers may suddenly become active, and is likely to have one of its sharp run-ups at any time.

Latest News From Wall Street

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—There were indications of nervousness in the stock market today. While at times many stocks rallied quite impressively, there were also periods of considerable irregularity, so that during the greater part of the session the tone was uncertain.

Firmness to money was an influence which chilled some of recent enthusiasm. After renewing at 6 per cent, the rate was advanced to 8 per cent although earlier in the day predictions were made that 10 per cent or more might be named a rate before end of the session.

Several pools were operating in their favorites, but discovered that it was difficult to attract any large outside following. The public is watching closely but not purchasing to the extent that was in evidence only a few weeks ago.

Sentiment is decidedly mixed. A number of students insist that profits should be taken during advances before the inauguration of President-Elect Hoover, because they feel confident after this event the market will again start downward, when stocks sold on the upturns can be replaced at more reasonable levels.

Professionals who are members of various pools are adhering to their recommendations to purchase stocks during all setbacks for the purpose of realizing good profits on the sustained advance which they expect to start before the end of the next month.

A few Wall Street observers insist that there indications of improvement in the oil situation although they admit these are not likely to take concrete form for several weeks. If some action is taken to change the situation for the better it will probably result to more active buying of the leading oils by outsiders, who have been out of these stocks for some time.

A report is in circulation in Toronto that the National Biscuit Company is negotiating for purchase of the Robinson Consolidated Company, ice cream cone manufacturers.

American Loco has added approximately $3,000,000 additional business to its books in the past few days, so that the total unfilled orders are are reported to be approximately at 30,000,000 mark, which it is figured it will be required to cover the $8 dividend.

Practically all the rubber authorities are said to believe that the current year will be much more favorable for these companies than 1928, when the first half was a trying period for most concerns. Increased earnings are looked for by officials of most of the tire companies.

Pittsburgh: American Sheet and Tin Plate Company has advanced prices $2 per ton on black galvanized and blue annealled sheets for second quarter. This action following that of independents virtually established the second quarter market on sheets at $2.95 a pound.

Regular Dominion Stores Limited common dividend declared, regular quarterly dividend of 60 cents on common payable April 1, record March 15.

Regular Imperial Tobacco of Canada dividend declared. Regular interim of 1½% on common payable March 26, record March 7 and regular semi-annual dividend of 3% on the preferred payable March 30, record March 7.

Norfolk and Western January gross for 1929 was $9,036,456 vs. $7,856,685 to 1928. Total income $3,036,048 vs. $1,830,689 in 1928; surplus after charges $2,682,477 vs. $1,407,020 in 1928.

The merger of the Guaranty Co. and the National Bank of Commerce into a two billion dollar institution, the largest to the country, was announced after the board of directors of both banks had adopted resolutions.

The rise in money probably was looked upon as being caused by the approach of the month end. This undoubtedly was true in a measure, but it is to be imagined that curtailment of the money supply was also a factor as a reflection of federal reserve policy. The central banking institutions have not made clear the policy which they will use to enforce the warnings recently given. The rise in the call rate, in the light of only moderate calling loans by the banks, presumes either that the supply of credit is not large as compared with requirements, or that the rate is being moved up with the idea of checking the market. Just how far the present trend can prevail against a higher rate is doubtful. It is to be imagined that such power as the reserve has will force depression on the market.

Great Northern January nett operating income $258,742 against $376,601.

Beech Nut Packing earned $6.51 a share on 425,000 common shares in 1928 against $5.94 on 375,000 shares in 1927.

Dow Jones: It is probable, barring eleventh hour hitches an announcement will be made after meetings of finance committee and board of directors of United States Steel this afternoon, which will be looked upon as first step in plan of management for revamping of capital structure. Announcement is expected to call for retirement of bonds.

Corporation has been able to purchase more than sinking fund requirements of its 10-60 year 5's in past twelve months, and it is possible this excess amount will be redeemed on usual annual date for such action May 1.

Part of old Carnegie bonds which were known as the fifty year 5's may be retired. These bonds are callable at 115 and interest, and the corporation has been buyer of this issue also. The series four, the series B-B and F of this bond issue are not redeemable, but in the course of the past years it is altogether possible that the corporation was able to buy up some of these series also, which could thus be retired.

Youngstown: Pig iron prices. Higher prices loom in pig iron market, according to producers in this area. Merchant makers are having no difficulty in filling their order books and one booked solid to May 1 advises it has been obliged to reject 20,000 tons in past two weeks because of inability to meet requirements of buyers.

New York Copper Exporters, Incorporated has advanced foreign price of copper quarter cent to 16½ a pound c&f Hamburg, Havre and London, bringing price abroad into parity with domestic price. About 2,500,000 pounds of copper has been sold at the new price this morning.

American Can declared regular quarterly dividend of $1.75 on preferred, payable April 1, record March 16.

Delaware, Lackawanna and Western net income for quarter ended December 31 is equal to $2.87 a share on 1,688,822 shares against 2.23 in December quarter of 1927.

Youngstown Sheet Tube year ended December 31 net income $10,446,336 after depreciation, interest and Federal taxes against $7,033,334 in 1927.

Missouri Pacific would lease the New Orleans, Texas & Mexico, International, Great Northern, St. Louis Brownsville & Mexico, Orange and Northwestern, New Iberia and Northern, St. Mary and Eastern Houston and Brazos Valley, San Benito and Rio Grande Valley, San Antonio Uvalde and Gulf, Sugar Land Railway, Rio Grande City Railroad, Asherton and Gulf Asphalt Belt Railway, San Antonio Southern Austin Dam and Suburban Railway, Beaumont Sour Lake and Western Houston, North Shore Railway, Natchez and Southern Natchez and Louisiana Railway, New Orleans and Lower Coast Railway, Ft. Smith Suburban and the Missouri Pacific Corporation in Nebraska.

Chicago, Burlington & Quincy in first twenty-one days February handled 111,550 revenue freight cars against 112,180 same period to 1928.

Reading Company January net operating income $1,345,017, increase of $536,691 over January 1928.

Paris: Belgian Ford Motor Co. has increased its capital to 100,000,000 francs, and is offering forty per cent of her shares to public at par.

J. S. Bache & Company—Because uncertainties still remain in the credit situation, we urge against assuming or maintaining major speculative positions at this time. Over extension of commitments should be guarded against religiously. Subsequent opportunities are expected to be evident for the reaccumulation of traded premiums at more reasonable levels.

Hornblower & Weeks—It seems to us that if stocks were in a position to be sold February 13, the same position remains at this time and we would again take advantage of current price levels.

Mines and Oil Review at Vancouver

(By H. E. Bunnings & Co., Ltd.)

(Supplied by H. B. Bunnings & Co. Ltd.)

VANCOUVER, Feb. 26.—Reports of a new issue of stock had a reactionary effect on Mayland Oil this morning, when it broke from a previous close of 6.55 to a low of 4.00, and closing at 4.90 to 4.70 on heavy trade, with buyers coming to at the close. Amalgamated Petroleum Consolidated was strong throughout, running to a high of 1.85 and closing at 1.76, the previous close. Dalhousie opened 5 up at 2.40, and gained 10 at noon close. McLeod steady at 285. Illinois Alta firm at 1.30. Mines trade was light and slightly weaker. Grandview opened down at .62 1-2 and lost strength early, and closed at .61, down 3 from yesterday. Pend Oreille off .25 at 12.25. Reeves McDonald, 3.50, lost .10 on the session. Big Missouri steady at 1.96. Georgia River, .54; Oregon Copper, .71; Noble Five, .64; Ruth Hope, .45; Silverado, .115; Snowflake, .29; Toric, 1.40, Topley, .41.

Calgary Oil Stocks

	Sales	High	Low	Close
Advance	230	1 13	1 10	1 19
A P Cons	10,000	1 80	1 79	1 80
Blk Diamond	439	23	33	32
British Dom	1,313	88	80	80
Calmont	1,229	1 18	1 10	1 19
Dalhousie	2,730	2 60	2.35	2.48
Devenish	4,466	93	55	60
Ills-Alta	3,500	1 37½	1 30	1 32½
McD Segur	640	2.63	2 65	2 65
McD & (new)	2,830	1 73	1 73	1 70
Freehold	1,359	1 45	1 48	1 40
Regent	2,900	.54	03	08
McLeod	273	2 85	2 00	2 60
Mid-West	600	38	37	37
Okalta, com	14	273 50	260 00	270.00
Okalta, pfd	2	313 00	313 39	318 58
Royalite	190	84.00	80 00	84 00
Signal Hill	1,495	33	21	23
Seconar	1,850	1 83	1 65	1 65
Turner Valley	60	60	70	60
United Oils	800	2 35	2.30	2 25
Vulcan	3,400	1.25	1 25	1.30
New Federal	1,800	.12	12	12

NEW YORK CURB

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Carib Synd, new	2½	3
Caterpillar Trac.	79	79½
Cities Service, com	118	119½
Cities Service, pfd	97	97½
Clob Aluminum	39	89½
Columbia Synd.	1	1½
Cont Oil	20	20½
Creole Pete	8	9½
Durant Del.	15	19½
Elec B & S Sh.	232	209¾
Engineers Gold	3	3¼
Gold Oil	140	
Hudson Bay M & S	62	
Lion Oil Refg	29	29½
Nichols & Shep		94¼
Newmont Mining	182	186¾
Seranda Mines	91¼	..
Pantepec Oil	8	8¼
Servel New Vie	10	
Sorlluck Deon	00⅞	
Stand Oil Indiana	87	87¼
Stutz Motors	99	
Transcont Airway	20½	
Im. Oil, Canada	81	
Int Pete	54	
Un Gas & Imp., new	173	
Un P & L "A" new	38	29¼
United Verde Ext.	17	17¼
Venva Pete	4	4½
Vacuum Oil	121	121¼
Bunker Hill	100	

FOREIGN BONDS

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Antioquia 7's, 1945 "A"	93½	00½
Ara 6's, 1957	100½	101
Argentine 6's, 1959	100	100¾
Austrian 7's, 1943	100	102¾
Belgian 6's, 1955	100	100½
Belgian 7's, 1955	107¾	108½
Bolivian 7's, 1956	105¾	108¼
Brazil 6½'s, 1957	94¾	85¼
Buenos Aires 7's, 1937	100¾	101
Buenos Aires 7½'s, 1947	100¼	103¾
Chile 6's, 1960	92¾	92½
Costa Rica 7's, 1951	94¾	94¾
Est Ry 7's, 1954	104¾	104¾
French 7's, 1949	108	108½
French 7½'s, 1941	111⅞	112¾
German 7's, 1949	105½	108
Hugo Stinnes 7's, 1936	87¾	92⅝
Hugo Stinnes 7's, 1946	88¾	88¾
Italy 7's, 1951	97	97½
Jap 6½'s, 1954	02	03½
Nord 6½'s, 1950	100½	102½
Polish 8's, 1940	91¾	92½
Polish 8's, 1952	97½	99
Seine 7's, 1942	100¾	107
Siemen & Hal 6½'s, 1951	102½	104½
Uruguay 8's, 1960	89¾	88¾
Uruguay 6's, 1946	108	109½

VICTORY AND WAR LOANS

VICTORY LOAN, 5½%—TAX FREE

Interest due—	Buy	Sell
1933, 1st May & Nov	101 90	100 13
1937, 1st June & Dec	104 40	105 15

WAR LOAN, 5%—TAX FREE

	Buy	Sell
1931, 1st Apr & Oct	99 89	100 95
1937, 1st Mar & Sept (Payable New York)	101 00	102 10

VICTORY LOAN, 5½%

	Buy	Sell
1933, 1st May & Nov	101 00	101 35
1934, 1st May & Nov	101 02	102 10

DOMINION LOAN

	Buy	Sell
1934, 15th Apr & Oct., 5%	101 40	102 06
1940, 1st Mar & Sept., 4½%	96 75	97 35
1944, 15th Apr & Oct., 4½%	97 19	97 78
1948, 1st Feb. & Aug 4½%	97 40	96 00
1984, 1st Feb and Aug (C & R), 3%—Mkt		
1967, 1st Jan and July (C & R), 4½%—Mkt		

Add accrued interest to date—

1927, 67 days, 1 311 per $100

1933, 1938, 1934 117 days, 1 763 per $100

1938, 1946, 134 days, 1 838 per $100

1944, 134 days, 1 601 per $100

1946, 25 days, 300 per $100

Brokerage rate on Victory and War Loans, ¼ of 1%

MARKET UNSETTLED

Calling In of Loans Dominating Factor—Copper Section Recuperates

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—The stock market was kept in an unsettled state as a result of the calling of approximately $40,000,000 in loans and a firming to call money to 9 per cent in the afternoon. The market showed excellent recuperative powers in the copper section in recognition of the latest advance in metal prices to 18 1-2 cents export and talk of higher prices in metal later this week. Oils gave the most satisfactory performance in response to concerted buying. Steel shares rallied to their best levels of the year, but eased from early high levels and realizing. Accompanying the buying of the leading steel issue, attention was apparently centred around the meeting of the steel directors, and the finance committee scheduled for late this afternoon as talk has been circulated of late that a revamping of the company's capital structure may be announced. The announcement of a $3 dividend by Andes was the forerunner of a sharp demand for the copper shares. The January rail earning reports were favorably interpreted by a bulge in rail prices met with realizing. The action to be taken by the steel directors and finance comittee of the Steel Corporation will likely have its influence later. However, the market will reflect ideas on brokers' loans and the action by the local Federal Reserve Board on the rediscount rate. In the face of these uncertainties, I would prefer to go slow on the buying side.

News of the Mines

(From Solloway, Mills & Co., Vancouver, through R. E. Bunnings & Co., Ltd.)

Oil Stocks—Our prediction that a boom might be expected in Alberta oil stocks may come true much quicker than thought. Saturday, oil stocks on Calgary Exchange were stronger than in years and very active. Best market to years, says our manager. Brokers were unable to cope with orders. The market was flooded with orders and length of present session inadequate to handle business. Naturally, price advances were general.

Royalite—Shares of Royalite Oil, Imperial Oil subsidiary, reached 74 on Saturday to report that Well 15 struck gas flow. Has not been tested as yet for oil. Same company just brought in Well 15 recently, and has a number of others nearing the desired goal.

Home—Home Oil sold up to $13.50 and closed off $1. This is not an unexpected movement in these shares, and many predict that they will sell higher. The closing level is an advance of $8.50 over the ruling price just before the recent big naphtha well came in. A.P. Consolidated, which owns large block of Home, sold up to $1.50.

Egg Laying Contest

Conducted by the Dominion Experimental Station, Sidney, B.C.

YEAR 6—REPORT FOR WEEK NO. 16, ENDING FEBRUARY 20, 1929

Name	Breed	Week Eggs	Total Eggs	Total Points
A. Adams	W.L.	30	414	369 3
R. E. Ault	W.L.	30	919	623 3
Bains & O'Farrell	W.L.	30	600	623 7
T. Barclay	W.L.	23	719	719 3
J. O. Butterfield	W.L.	23	485	408 4
J. J. Dougan	W.L.	9	362	391 3
W. L. Douglas	W.L.	30	483	481 4
Forlin Leghorn F'm	W.L.	29	583	547 1
A. Georgeson	W.L.	28	400	401 4
O. O. Golding	W.L.	24	533	488 5
W. J. Dunn	W.L.	18	281	264 7
Miss B. Gwynne	W.L.	14	503	538 8
T. H. Sayward	W.L.	30	919	603 4
W. F. Hurst	W.L.	27	414	437 0
R. Mackenzie	W.L.	31	404	412 4
S. S. Plaston	W.L.	19	404	339 8
W. Robbins	W.L.	08	589	583 8
J. Smyth	W.L.	29	381	374 1
R. W. Tull	W.L.	40	404	420 8
Westwood Ptly F'm	W.L.	42	651	708 2
Chaplin & Oswald	B.R.	17	287	344 8
Expt. F'm. Agassiz	B.R.	35	424	371 0
C. D. Golding	B.R.	38	380	380 8
M. C. Stephens	B.R.	17	910	290 3
J. Burgess	R.I.R.	29	767	*937 8
Cooke & Mercer	R.I.R.	13	424	440 0
O. G. Hunt	R.I.R.	37	719	841 5
H. D. Reid	R.I.R.	29	330	343 7
H. O. Scott	R.I.R.	13	325	338 1
Corbett & Tolputt	W.W.	99	381	405 0
H. R. S. Cunningham	W.W.	23	406	464 3
Experimental Station Summerland	W.W.	36	941	434 3
R. B. Jaffery	W.W.	29	882	700 4
W. A. S. Paul	W.W.	24	875	918 0
Totals		803	17,541	17,493 0

*Leading pen. Week's production 37.4%.

Remarks—Please address all correspondence to the Superintendent, Experimental Station, Saanichton, B.C.

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, Feb. 26.—Futures quotations:

	Open	High	Low	Close
March	130⅛b	130⅛b	100⅛a	130⅛a
May	132⅛b	133⅛b	182⅛a	183⅛a
July	134⅛b	134⅛b	133⅛a	133⅛a

Cash prices—No. 1 Nor., 129⅛; 2 Nor., 127⅛; 3 Nor., 132; 4 wheat, 117; 5 wheat, 107; 6 wheat, 83; feed, 85.

NEW STRIKE EXTENDS

Noble Five Ore Bodies Show Good Results in Assays Taken

(Supplied by Miller, Court & Co., Ltd.)

The drift tunnel on the Noble Five ore body on the 800-foot level of the Noble Five Mines is now in forty-five feet, with assays averaging a minimum of $24 a ton. The latest assay report shows twenty ounces of silver, 12 per cent lead and 6 per cent zinc to the ton. At the present point of operations, the vein is six feet wide with the drift face still in ore and the vein expected to widen within the next 100 feet. Opening of this ore body is one of the most important developments in the history of the mines, states Paul Lincoln, president and general manager of Noble Five Mines, Limited. The strike was made in entirely virgin ground and gives the company 1,300 feet of backs to the surface. Mr. Lincoln states that there is every indication that this is a big ore body and of tremendous importance. Development work on this ore body is being pushed as rapidly as possible, to increase mill production as soon as power conditions permit.

Consolidated Negotiating for Hercules Property Near Big Missouri—Negotiations are under way for taking over the property of Hercules Mines, Limited, by Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company. The Hercules property is located at the northern end of the Big Missouri property, which is already controlled by the Consolidated. Hercules ore shows values in gold, silver, lead, and zinc and copper. The company is capitalized at $1,000,000, par $1, of which 633,751 shares are outstanding.

MONEY MARKETS

LONDON, Feb. 26.—Money 5 per cent; discount rates, short bills 6 1-4 per cent; three months' bills 5 5-16 per cent.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Call money firm; high 9; low 8; ruling rate 8, closing bid 8. Time loans steady; mixed collateral 60-90 days 7 1-2 to 7 3-4; 4-6 months 7 1-2 to 7 3-4; prime mercantile paper 5 1-2 to 5 3-4 per cent, bankers' acceptances unchanged.

NEW YORK SUGAR

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Raw sugar was unchanged early today. Sales of 21,000 bags of Philippines, due March 11, to a local refiner at 3.71 was reported. There were no offerings of Cuban at this price. The undertone was firm, with holders asking slightly advanced prices. In refined a fair inquiry was reported and prices were unchanged at 4.90 for fine granulated.

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1 BIRTHS

BUTLER—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on February 24 to Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Butler, Jr., Pemberton, B.C., a son.

NEWTON—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on February 18, to Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Newton, 2880 Foul Bay Road, a daughter.

WORTH—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on February 23, to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Worth, 411 Caledonia Avenue, a son.

MERSTON—At the Belfield Nursing Home, on February 26, to Marcia, wife of William Merston, a daughter.

CRAVEN—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on February 25, 1929, to Mr. and Mrs. N. Craven, 1300 Esquimalt Road, a daughter.

SHAND—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on February 25, 1929, to Mr. and Mrs. B. Shand, 930 Fairfield Road, a daughter.

2 DEATHS

JONES—There passed away on February 23, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Thomley Jones, aged fifty-one years, a native of Liverpool, England, and a resident of this city for the past thirty-eight years. The late Mr. Jones was a member of No. 1, I.O.O.F., Victoria, and is survived by his mother and brother, at the family residence, 944 Caledonia Avenue, two sisters, Mrs. Campbell, of 817 North Park Street, and Mrs. Noble, 2647 Prior Street; also several nephews and nieces, all of Victoria.

The remains are resting at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, from where the funeral will take place on Wednesday, February 27, at 2 o'clock. Dr. Clem Davies will officiate and interment will be made in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

BRETHOUR—The funeral of the late George James Mann Brethour will take place on Wednesday at 1:30 o'clock from the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Brethour, at Sidney. Rev. T. M. Hughes and Rev. M. W. Lees will officiate, and the remains will be laid to rest in the family plot at Sidney.

4 CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Bruce, Mrs. Bass and relatives wish to express their sincere thanks to their many friends for their kind words of sympathy and floral tributes sent in their sad bereavement in the loss of their brother, the late David Jephson.

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10 COMING EVENTS

ATTEND JUBILEE NURSES' DANCE AT Crystal Garden, February 28. Dancing 9 to 1. Tickets $1.50 per couple.

BUFFALOES' DANCE, UNITED SERVICE Lodge, No. 5113, Esquimalt, B.C., will be held in the Rex Theatre on Friday, March 8, from 9:30 p.m. to 12 midnight. Melodians Four-Piece Orchestra. Admission 50c. Refreshments.

C.P.R. SOCIAL CLUB DANCE, EMPRESS Hotel Ballroom, Thursday, February 28, 9:30 to 12. Guard's Orchestra. 50c.

10 COMING EVENTS (Continued)

CANADIAN PENSIONERS' GRAND CONcert and Dance, Victoria High School, Friday, March 1, 8 p.m. Len Acres' Orchestra. Gentlemen, 50c; ladies, 25c.

DANCE WITH ISLAND TELEGRAPHERS, Empress Hotel, Friday, March 8, 9 to 1. Rex Empress Orchestra. Buffet supper. Tickets at Railway and Telegraph Offices.

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LAKE HILL COMMUNITY CENTRE dance, Wednesday, February 27, dancing 9 to 1. Guard's Orchestra. Refreshments. Admission 50c.

SCOTTISH DANCE, COLWOOD HALL, Friday, March 1, 8:30, tickets 50c. Sandy Mackie's Orchestra.

SONS OF CANADA PARTNER WHIST and dance, Wednesday, 8:30. First, $5 scrip each, second, $3, third, $2, fourth, $1.50, fifth, $1. Admission 35c. Everybody welcome.

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51A FURNISHED

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52B UNFURNISHED

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55A FURNISHED

FULLY FURNISHED BUNGALOW, FIVE rooms, garage. 1317 Shakespeare St.

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1505 Redfern, 6 rooms, 3 bedrooms, garage	$25 00
1036 Hampshire Rd., 6-room bungalow, vacant March 15	$35 00
1741 Bank St., 6 rooms, 4 bedrooms, furnace	$30 00

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625 Fort Street Phone 389

1600 BRIGHTON AVENUE, 6 ROOMS, 3 bedrooms	$35 00
493 Superior St., 8 rooms, 4 bedrooms	30 00
406 Beach Drive, 3 rooms, 2 bedrooms, garage	24 00
900 Bank St., 7 rooms, 4 bed, garage	35 00
2335 Estevan St., 8 rooms, 4 bedrooms	25 00
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2311 Brett Street, 4 rooms	14 00
135 Ladysmith Street, 4 rooms	16 50
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57 WANTED TO RENT HOUSES

57A FURNISHED

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57B UNFURNISHED

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63 POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK

63A POULTRY AND SUPPLIES

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FOR SALE RIR AND WHITE ORpington cockerels, both hatched in March; these birds are pure bred and from excellent laying strains. Pays for hatching. One Victoria Black two-year-old cock. This breed has proved a great success as layers and table birds, eggs for hatching, $2 per setting. Phone 1716R. G. R. Van Arum, 2434 Cadboro Bay Road.

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HATCHING EGGS, DAY-OLD CHICKS. Solly's Three-B Wyandottes. Phone 4670.

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GOOD MILK COW FOR SALE, OWNER leaving. Phone 4833X1. R. Nunn, Kisber Avenue, Mt. Tolmie.

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BOSTON PUPPIES, 10 WEEKS OLD, nicely marked. 400 Walter Street, phone 6813B, mornings or evenings, after 4:30.

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65 AUTOMOBILES

65A FOR SALE

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A BUICK 7-Pass. Touring	$100
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72 **HOUSES FOR SALE** (Continued)

BUNGALOW, JUST OUTSIDE HALF-MILE CIRCLE

THIS bungalow is very nicely arranged and faces south; Den with fireplace, basement with furnace, gas. Lot has 50 ft. frontage, laid out in lawn, ornamental trees, etc., which make this a very nice little place. Price, on terms ... $3150

CLOSE TO HIGH SCHOOL

A VERY neat-appearing dwelling of eight rooms, and fully modern. Of a pleasing design and well constructed. Good basement, furnace, and gas laid on. Within a stone's throw of the high school and a few minutes from car line and easy walking distance from centre of city. Dwelling could not be built for the price asked, which is ... $4200

A FAIRFIELD HOME BARGAIN

A DESIRABLE six-room dwelling, nicely situated between Vancouver and Cook. Pleasant living-room, dining-room, kitchen, three bedrooms, good three-piece bathroom, extra toilet, and the gas is laid on. Lot is approximately 47 x 135. Within easy walking distance of centre of city. Close to car line, park and sea. Immediate possession may be had. Price, on terms ... $2450

AN EXCELLENT OAK BAY HOME

AN exceptionally nice dwelling of eight rooms, comprising large hall, living-room with open fireplace, den with fireplace, splendid kitchen with large pantry. Four very fine bedrooms, with extra large clothes cupboards. Lovely bathroom with separate toilet. Front and back stairs, hardwood floors, cement basement with toilet. Large lot in lawn, flower, beds, etc. Price ... $6500

ANOTHER ATTRACTIVE OAK BAY HOME

7-ROOM modern bungalow with three open fireplaces, basement and furnace. Very good bathroom. This is in a district that is beautifully treed. Close to car line, school, etc. Large lot, 60 x 125, which is treed, in lawn and flower beds. Taxes light. Price, on terms ... $6500

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NORTH QUADRA—Six-room modern cottage with three-piece bathroom, with a wonderful panoramic view of the surrounding country, sea and mountains. Stands on about 1½ acres land, beautifully treed and laid out in rockery, rose arbors, tennis court, other outbuildings, garage. The price is only $3,812

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SIX-ROOM BUNGALOW, with one acre of beautiful grounds, within three-mile circle, high and secluded site with country-wide views. House contains large living-room with fireplace, dining-room with fireplace, three sunny bedrooms, three-piece bathroom, pantry and kitchen. Cemented basement with new hot-air furnace. Grounds contain servants' house, garage, large and small fruit and well-stocked flower garden. Price $6,200. Terms can be given

THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY
Real Estate Department
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NEW STUCCO BUNGALOW AND TWO LOTS—PRICE $4,500

SITUATED south of the Oak Bay car line, we believe we can show the buyer something better than usually offered at this figure. Bungalow contains five rooms, full cement basement, extra high ceiling, HOT WATER HEATING SYSTEM. Mueller automatic control, extra toilet and wash tubs. Entrance hall, large sitting-room with corner fireplace, nice dining-room, and Dutch kitchen, which will save the housewife's steps. Two fine bedrooms with the usual clothes closets, three-piece bathroom, built-in bath. Hardwood floors in the living-rooms and hall. Two lots, excellent soil. Garage with cement floor and driveway. For special reasons this bungalow positively must be sold, hence the price. Very attractive exterior. See the agents for appointment

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SEVEN-ROOMED HOUSE, PRICE

$4000

THIS HOUSE has an unobstructed view of the Straits and mountains; four rooms down and three good bedrooms up, three-piece bathroom, full-sized basement, situated on a lot 50 x 240, would be suitable for garden or lawn tennis court, well fenced, garage and chicken house. The owner of this property is out of the city and anxious to sell. Any suitable terms can be arranged and we can show you over any time by appointment. This property will increase in value

OAK BAY — SEVEN ROOMS

$3800

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78 **HOUSES FOR SALE** (Continued)

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5-ROOMED STUCCO BUNGALOW, full concrete basement, furnace, garage on large lot, just outside city limits. Low taxes. Convenient to school and within one block of car line. Price only $3,650, terms.

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Conveniently arranged rooms with large windows. Contains Sunroom, very bright living-room with glass doors to dining-room. Both these rooms have open fireplaces.
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2 LOTS, WITH SMALL COTTAGE OF three rooms, secluded, in garden with small fruits, bulbs, etc. Taxes $15. Light and city water installed ... $650

ONE MILE FROM CITY LIMITS

1 LARGE CLEARED LOT, with newly renovated house, full basement and plumbing, bath and hot water boiler. Three large bright rooms. $350 down ... $1050

THREE MILES OUT

LARGE CLEARED LOT, with four bright rooms and modern bathroom, basement, garage, bus and electric light at door, city water; taxes about $11 ... $1450

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65-FOOT WATERFRONT LOT, NEAR hotel. Magnificent views of sea and mountains. Adjoining lots held at $3,000. PRICE ... $2100

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ON THIS EXCLUSIVE STREET we have an exceptionally fine home of eight rooms, including large billiard room; hardwood floors, hot water heat, exquisite arrangement and finish. PRICE ... $12,500

FULLY MODERN BUNGALOW, five large rooms, two bedrooms, tiled bathroom, built-in features, edge grain fir floors, full cement basement, garage, solid brick construction, two lots, taxes $32. Property cost to build, five years ago, $6,000. Price (on terms) ... $3250

4-ROOM BUNGALOW, on two lots, open fireplace, full concrete basement, greenhouse, (10 x 52 feet), chicken house, close to street car and within 1½-mile circle ... $2650

NEAR PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS—Very convenient to city, save car fare. A fine six-roomed bungalow, excellent basement and furnace. Good lot. Low taxes. Easy terms. ONLY ... $2500

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4-ROOMED COTTAGE, in nice secluded garden. Two lots. City water, phone, light, bus. Three miles from town. Very low taxes. Cash ... $650

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FOR $3,750, ON TERMS

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$2,500 — $2,300 — $2,350

$2500 BUYS GOOD SIX-ROOMED house, three bedrooms, cement basement, good furnace, garage, fruit trees and garden. See us at once if you want to get this bargain. Easy terms

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$2650

OAK BAY BARGAIN

WELL-BUILT 7-room home, with all modern conveniences, including basement and furnace, garage with cement driveway, situated on very good lot with lawn, garden and shrubs, all in good condition, and a great bargain.
Immediate Possession.

$3600

ATTRACTIVE CLOSE-IN BUY

MODERN 7-room home, with entrance hall, large living-room with open fireplace and French doors to hall and dining-room, kitchen with nook. One laid in. Pass pantry. Four bedrooms, good bathroom. Full cement basement, furnace. High location, in walking distance

$2500

OFF HILLSIDE AVENUE

BARGAIN in well-built, convenient six room home, all modern and in first-class condition inside, double living and dining-room, buffet, 3 good bedrooms, nice bathroom, cement basement, furnace. Another excellent buy

$10,500—TWO-STORY HOUSE containing spacious drawing-room, dining-room, den, hall, kitchen, pantry, scullery, 6 good bedrooms, dressing-room, servant's room, verandas, concrete cellar, open fireplaces in principal rooms; excellent water supply; commanding one of the most extensive views on the bay, garden, large greenhouse, orchard, small fruit, numerous outbuildings, standing on five acres, with wide seafront, boathouse, good fishing and bathing. More land adjoining can be had if required. A magnificent country home.

G. WALLISON
Real Estate and Insurance Agent
Cowichan Station, B.C.

78D SAANICH

COUNTRY HOMES

MODERN 6-ROOM BUNGALOW, situated on 1½ acres, chicken houses and outbuildings, 30 full bearing fruit trees, lots of small fruits. Easy terms. $7,500

6-ROOM BUNGALOW on high location, 20 fruit trees. Only $3,500, terms

ALDER & SONS, LTD
317 Central Bldg Phone 2010

79 WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES

WANTED — SMALL MODERN HOUSE, with acre of land, close to Tolmie, Willows or North Quadra. Cash or terms. Box 1740, Colonist

80 PROPERTY FOR SALE

AN IDEAL HOMESITE, FOUR LOTS, near school, taxes $15, paved street. Box 2085, Colonist

VACANT LOT VALUES

LOT 3, FRONTING MADISON and Wilmer Streets ... $200
LOT 130, Brooke Street ... $400
Both these lots are $200 and $150 respectively less than the price of adjoining reverted lots.

CHRISTY, HALL & CO., LTD
640 Fort Street Phone 370

SPLENDID BUILDING SITE—West side of Moultrie Avenue, about 1½ acres. ONLY VACANT PROPERTY THIS SIDE OF STREET. Look it over and see the Wonderful views

JAMES DOWKER
Real Estate 200 Pemberton Bldg

$800 OR NEAR OFFER FOR CHOICE homesite, close Willows Beach, 70 x 150, half cash, balance terms.

$800—CHOICE CORNER, GORGE RD., 94 x 142. Make us a reasonable offer

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1805 Douglas Street Phone 5602

82 ACREAGE FOR SALE

CHEAP ACREAGE. CLARKE REALTY, 613 Yates Street

FOR SALE, OR WILL EXCHANGE FOR store, business with postoffice preferred, improved acreage, good soil, domestic fruit, houses for 600 birds, modern five-roomed attractive home well located. Box 2004, Colonist.

82 **ACREAGE FOR SALE** (Continued)

PEMBERTON & SON
Established 1887

WE WRITE ALL CLASSES OF INSURANCE, INCLUDING LIFE

LARGEST AVAILABLE LIST OF FARMS AND COUNTRY PROPERTY FROM WHICH TO MAKE YOUR CHOICE

SEE US FIRST, BEFORE LOCATING

IDEAL BUILDING SITE, IN COUNTRY

2 ACRES, GORDON HEAD—Good soil, cleared; city water and light available, bearing orchard ... $850

BEAUTIFUL LITTLE COUNTRY HOME

1 ACRE, MORE OR LESS, TASTEFULLY arranged with shrubbery, tennis lawn, orchard and small fruit. Bungalow of four rooms and modern bathroom, electric light and phone. Taxes about $8. Chicken house for 250 birds ... $2750 (Terms)

CLOSE-IN CHICKEN PROPOSITION GOING CONCERN

ABOUT TWO-THIRDS ACRE, all cleared, fenced and cross-fenced into alternate yards. City water, light and phone. Well-built bungalow, with sitting-room, kitchen, nice pantry, bath and basin (outside toilet), cement basement. Excellent little barn on cement, with high loft. CHICKEN HOUSES FOR 750 CHICKENS. BROODER HOUSE 100 CHICKENS. Blaze and school ten minutes. Firewood and range, etc., go in at (terms) ... $3250

IDEAL FOR CHICKENS AND FRUIT

6.8 ACRES. Excellent view over surrounding country. ABOUT FOUR ACRES FULL-BEARING ORCHARD. WELL-BUILT BUNGALOW. NICE SITTING-ROOM WITH OPEN FIREPLACE, two bedrooms, kitchen and attic. HOT AND COLD WATER INSTALLED AND BATH. Never-failing well and engine attached. Barn, chicken houses and lumber for garage. Frontage on paved road. REDUCED AWAY DOWN TO ... $3750 (Terms)

FRUIT AND BULBS

5 ACRES, IMPROVED FARM, BEST REVENUE IN SAANICH FOR ITS SIZE. A RECORD BREAKER. Five miles out ... $7500

PEMBERTON & SON
625 Fort Street Phone 388

OPPORTUNITY

5-ACRE POULTRY RANCH, with five-roomed dwelling, light, water and phone. Owner includes incubators, brooder stoves and full equipment, as well as 100 Rhode Island Red breeders.
This is also an ideal location for a store catering to the tourist and camper trade.

$2000 HANDLES

HAMMOND REALTY
Ask for A. L. Page 1311 Douglas St.

MARKET GARDENER'S OPPORTUNITY INSIDE 3½-MILE CIRCLE

4 ACRES of finest bottom land, ½ acre cleared and grassed down, 3½ acres all slashed and ready to burn. Four-roomed plastered bungalow, with fireplace (cottage needs a few repairs). Water laid to property. A great bargain at only ... $2100

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84 ACREAGE WANTED

WATERFRONTAGE — ACREAGE WANTED, improved or otherwise. Must be good land, suitable for mixed farming, either on Saanich Inlet or between Gordon Head and Sidney preferred, with or without buildings, but must have a sandy, sheltered beach. All information considered confidential. Write, giving full particulars in first instance, to Box 1930, Colonist

WANTED—COUNTRY HOME, WITH A few acres of land, situated on the waterfront, with a sheltered bay between Tod Inlet and Patricia Bay preferred. All replies will be treated in strict confidence, but would like to have full particulars in first letter to Box 1954, Colonist

85 FARMS FOR SALE

SHEEP FARMING PAYS

COWICHAN DISTRICT — 127 ACRES, about 40 cleared and in pasture, balance light bush. All kinds of buildings, large barn and silo, sheep shed. Wonderful water supply. Modern five-room house, three-piece bathroom, hot and cold water. You cannot beat this for $8,500, terms arranged

JOSEPH C. BRIDGMAN
604 Broughton St Established 1858
Albert Burdon, Real Estate Dept

RENT, OPTION—POULTRY, PIGEONS, asparagus, slashed and seeded. Phone 7891L.

86 FARMS FOR RENT

GORDON HEAD

8 ACRES IN LOGAN AND STRAWBERRIES and field crops, small house, garage

SAANICH

10 ACRES IN ORCHARD AND SMALL fruits, modern buildings, city water and light; 8 acres, high location, overlooking the water, fruit trees, small fruits. Five-room modern bungalow (with or without furniture)

Several other properties, well located, from 3 to 8 acres (will lease)

J. N. BOLLAND
206 Pemberton Blk.

87 FARMS WANTED

WANTED TO RENT MIXED FARM, within 20 miles of Victoria. Box 1830, Colonist

Choice Homes and Building Sites
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For Health and Lovely Views
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OAK BAY
High-class residence of seven rooms, large reception hall, twin rooms, sliding doors, paneled and beamed ceilings, four bedrooms, large front veranda, cement basement with furnace. On extra large lot, 71 x 150, with garage, nice garden and fruit trees. This home is about $1,000 below the present valuation.
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Cadboro Bay
Cheap acreage and waterfront lots from $350.00 each and up
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110 Pemberton Bldg Phone 2081

A California authoress sent a manuscript to Ambrose Bierce, with the request that he give her "a criticism in one sentence, and drop further comment." Something was heard to drop all up and down the Pacific Coast when he replied, "The covers of your book are too far apart."

SHRINE TEMPLE BUILDING

TENDERS FOR CONSTRUCTION

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to Five o'clock in the afternoon Friday, March 1, 1929, for the construction of the building for Gizeh Temple Shrine.

Plans and specifications may be obtained at the office of the undersigned. Envelopes must be marked "Tender for Building."

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

L. A. GROGAN,
Secretary Building Committee.
1304 Broad Street, Victoria, B.C.,
February 22, 1929.

No. 2,460

A BY-LAW

TO PROVIDE FOR THE EARLY CLOSING OF SHOPS WITHIN THE CITY OF VICTORIA

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria (pursuant to the provisions of the "Shops Regulation Act"), enacts as follows:

1. Unless the context otherwise requires, the following words or expressions where used in this By-Law shall have the respective meanings hereinafter ascribed to them, namely:

The words "shop" and "closed" shall have the respective meanings from time to time ascribed to them by the "Shops Regulation Act" or by any Act which may be substituted therefor.

The word "holiday" means and shall include Sundays, New Year's Day, Good Friday, Victoria Day, Dominion Day, Labor Day, Christmas Day, Armistice Day, or any day appointed by Proclamation for a general fast or thanksgiving, and any day appointed by Proclamation or Order of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council as a holiday.

2. Subject to the provisions in this By-Law hereinafter contained, and to the provisions of the said "Shops Regulation Act," and of the "Weekly Half Holiday Act," every shop within the City of Victoria shall, from and after the coming into effect of this By-Law, be closed, and remain continuously closed, as hereinafter specified, namely:

(a) On every Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday they shall be closed at six o'clock in the afternoon, and shall remain closed till five o'clock in the forenoon of the following day.

(b) On the Wednesday in any week in respect of which the provisions of the Weekly Half Holiday Act as to the closing of shops do not apply they shall be closed at six o'clock in the afternoon and shall remain closed till five o'clock in the forenoon of the following day.

(c) On every Saturday they shall be closed at nine o'clock in the afternoon, and shall remain closed until five o'clock in the forenoon of the next following Monday. Provided that this By-Law shall not extend to nor affect any class of shops in respect of which an Early Closing By-Law has, prior to the date of coming into effect hereof, been enacted by the Municipal Council of the said Corporation under the provisions of Section 2 of the "Shops Regulation Act."

(d) On every holiday they shall be closed and remain closed throughout the whole of such day.

(e) Provided also, that it shall be lawful for any shop to remain and be kept open until nine o'clock in the afternoon of any day immediately preceding a holiday.

3. It is further provided that notwithstanding anything hereinbefore contained the provisions of this By-Law requiring shops to be or remain closed shall not extend to nor affect:

(a) Any shop on any day except a holiday during that period of each year between the 18th day of December and the 31st day of December, both days inclusive.

(b) Any store, shop, stand, booth, stall or place the business or trade of which is limited to the sale of gasoline, oil, tires, motor car accessories or motor cars, or any barber shop or any drug store.

(c) Any store, stand, booth, stall or place the business or trade of which is limited to the sale of any of the following classes of goods, or of any two or more of such classes, namely: Fresh milk, fresh cream, newspapers, magazines, postcards, souvenirs, confectionery, beverages, tobacco products and smokers' accessories, fresh fruit, icecream, butter, fresh eggs (as defined by the regulations made under the Livestock and Livestock Products Act, R.S.C. Cap. 120), butter-milk, clotted cream, or the products of a bakeshop as defined by the "Shops Regulation Act" (part 2).

4. Every person who commits a breach of any provision of the "Shops Regulation Act," or of this By-Law, shall be liable on summary conviction, to a fine or penalty not exceeding $100.00 and costs, recoverable and enforcible in the manner provided by the "Summary Convictions Act."

5. The following By-Laws of the said Corporation are hereby repealed as of and from the date of the coming into effect of this By-Law, namely:

(a) By-Law Number 2,033, known as the "Shops Early Closing By-Law, 1919."

(b) By-Law Number 2,090, known as the "Shops Early Closing By-Law 1919 Amendment By-Law, 1920."

(c) By-Law Number 2,210, known as the "Shops Early Closing By-Law 1919 Amendment By-Law, 1923."

(d) By-Law Number 2,458, known as the "Shops Early Closing By-Law, 1928."

6. This By-Law shall be cited as the "Shops Early Closing By-Law, 1929."

7. This By-Law shall take effect on the 1st day of March, 1929, and shall be published by the City Clerk in The Victoria Daily Times on the 25th day of February, 1929 and in The Victoria Daily Colonist on the 27th day of February, 1929.

Passed by the Municipal Council the 11th day of February, A.D. 1929.

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed by the Municipal Council this 18th day of February, A.D. 1929.

H. ANSCOMB, Mayor.
(L.S.)
M. F. HUNTER,
Clerk of the Municipal Council.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

Take notice that the partnership between GARNET STANLEY MERRYFIELD and HOWARD FISCHER DACK, carrying on business at 737 Yates Street, Victoria, B.C., under the firm name of Merryfield & Dack, as Druggists, was dissolved on February 2, 1929. The said Howard Fischer Dack has taken over the assets and goodwill, and will continue to carry on business under the style of Merryfield & Dack. All monies due the firm should be paid to him.

MERRYFIELD & DACK.
Dated February 18, 1929.

WATER NOTICE

(USE AND STORAGE)

TAKE NOTICE that THE CAMPBELL RIVER POWER COMPANY LIMITED, whose address is 733 Fort Street, Victoria, British Columbia, will apply for a licence to take and use 3500 c.f.s. and to store 107,000 acre feet of water out of Campbell River, which flows northeasterly and drains into Georgia Strait at the south end of Discovery Passage. The storage dams will be located at Campbell Lake, Upper Campbell Lake and Buttle Lake. Campbell Lake 23,000 acre feet, Upper Campbell Lake 12,500 acre feet, Buttle Lake 71,500 acre feet, and it will flood in high water only. The water will be diverted from the stream at a point about 3 miles up the river from its mouth at a point known as Irene Pool and will be used for power and industrial purposes upon the land described as Lot 91, Sayward District. This notice was posted on the ground on the twenty-first day of February, 1929. A copy of this notice and an application pursuant thereto and to the "Water Act" will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at the City of Nanaimo, British Columbia. Objections to the application may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., within thirty days after the first appearance of this notice in a local newspaper. The territory within which the applicant will exercise its powers in respect to the undertaking will be within a radius of 150 miles of the power site on Lot 91, Sayward District. The date of the first publication of this notice is February twenty-seventh, 1929.

THE CAMPBELL RIVER POWER COMPANY, LIMITED.
By Geo. C. Hinton, Agent.

THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT

A Court of Revision will sit on Thursday, March 28, 1929 at 8.15 o'clock P.M., at the Municipal Hall, Oak Bay Avenue, to consider the assessment roll for a local improvement constructed on Laburnum Gardens. No complaint against such assessment roll will be heard unless written notice thereof is given to the Municipal Clerk of Oak Bay before March 19, 1929. The said assessment roll is open for inspection at the Municipal Hall, Oak Bay.

R. F. BLANDY, Clerk.
February 26, 1929.

RUGBY CHAMPIONS MAY BE DECIDED

Win or Draw for Canadian Scottish in Saturday's Game Will Give Them the Title

The curtain will fall on the senior Rugby league Saturday, if the Canadian Scottish can defeat or tie the J.B.A.A. fifteen in their scheduled match at the Willows oval. On the other hand, if the Bays come through with a victory, then a play-off series will be arranged to decide the champions for the season.

All the militiamen have to do is to hold the oarsmen to a draw or register a win, and the city senior title will belong to them for a second year in succession.

Due to the fact that the Pirates and Navy fifteens have dropped from further competition, neither of the two remaining squads will have the opportunity of gaining league points.

The city titleholders will journey to the Mainland to meet the Vancouver champions for the provincial title. Should Vancouver officials be unable to secure a ground for the battle, the game will be transferred to this city. The sole remaining contest on the league calendar is the struggle between the Seaforths of Vancouver and the 16th Canadian Scottish, a game played each year between the two militia units. This game, in all probability, will be played on a Mainland ground.

The intermediate league will continue its schedule until the winners of the second half of the league are decided. Victoria College, winners of the initial half, will meet the winners of the second half for the league's honors. The ultimate champions will journey to the Mainland to battle for provincial honors.

BAGGAGEMEN WIN ALL

Victoria Baggage, leaders in the Commercial League, increased their standing substantially last night on the Arcade Alleys, by taking three straight games from the Restorer "B," cellar occupants. The winners annexed all games by a good margin. V. Irwin, of the baggagemen, carried off both individual and aggregate laurels by rolling 219 in the second contest for a total of 543.

Victoria Baggage

R. Hiscocks	182	129	126	437
V. Irwin	144	219	180	543
R. Laughton	126	184	150	462
J. Leetham	140	177	195	512
J. Wilson	202	177	156	535
Totals	796	886	807	2489

Restorer "B"

W. McBay	145	175	153	473
R. Ferdette	151	107	134	392
J. Paterson	104	114	105	323
W. Gagnon	127	133	117	377
F. Peard	119	108	120	347
Totals	646	637	629	1912

A. Thompson Wins Scoring Honors in Garage Ice League

A. Thompson, sharp-shooting ace on Thomas Plimley's "Whippets," in the Garage Hockey League, has been declared league-leading scorer and as a result will hold the Whittaker & Revercomb Cup for the ensuing year. Thompson led the league by having four goals and three assists, three points over Bridgewood, of Humphries, and Gordon, of Davies, who tied for second place. Scores follow:

	G.	A.	P.
Thompson (Plimley's)	4	3	7
Bridgewood (Humphries)	2	2	4
Gordon (Davies)	2	2	4
C. Ivings (Humphries)	2	1	3
Hall (Plimley's)	3	0	3
Meyers (Plimley's)	2	0	2
Butteris (Humphries)	2	0	2
Bell (National)	1	0	1
Gamon (National)	1	0	1
Greenslade (Humphries)	1	0	1
Scott (Plimley's)	1	0	1

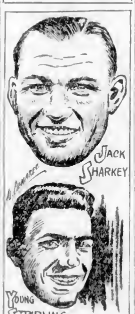
Manitoba Varsity Down Port Arthur

PORT ARTHUR, Ont., Feb. 26.—Taking advantage of the breaks in the first period, University of Manitoba, Allan Cup champions, made the harvest of their visit to the lakehead two victories, by defeating Port Arthur here last night, 2-0.

WEST JUVENILES TO MEET

Victoria West Juveniles, of Division 1, will hold a workout and meeting tonight at the First United Church gymnasium at 7 o'clock. All players are asked to attend.

Promoter Who Could Lick Both Fighters



By AL DEMAREE
(Former Pitcher New York Giants)

The Sharkey-Stribling bout at Miami tonight may mark a new era in prize fight history, for it will be Jack Dempsey's maiden effort as successor to the late lamented Tex Rickard.

If Jack gets off on the right foot in this one, he may be the man to carry on the promotional work of Rickard. His maiden effort finds him promoting a fight for a fighter he once knocked out.

Stribling, the Georgian schoolboy, has done most of his fighting on the lamplight circuit while touring in a big omnibus. Sharkey, the garrulous gob of Boston, is more noted as a fluent conversationalist than as a knockerout.

There is considerable intersectional interest in the bout, however, because the East is backing Sharkey, while the solid South is behind Stribling.

The New York fight public and writers seem to think that because the fight is not being held in New York City, that it won't go over big. The same thing was said of the second Dempsey-Tunney fight at Chicago.

I find considerable interest in the fight in all sections of the country. Dempsey deserves a break in his maiden effort as a promoter and I believe he will put it over.

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Also at 16:30, in Our Stockyard: Usual Sale of Poultry, Vegetables, Potatoes, 3 Incubators, Queen Coal Brooder Stove and canopy for 1,000 chicks, lot of Sash, Screen Doors, 2 Goats, etc.

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(Revised February 13, 1929)

MEAT

Beef, No. 1 Steer, per lb	.12
Beef, Cow, per lb	.11
Veal, per lb	.20 to .23
Hogs, per lb	.17½
Shoulders, per lb	.12
Loins, per lb	.20
Legs, per lb	.24
Breakers, per lb	.22
Lamb, per lb	.30
Tongue, per lb	.20 to .24
Liver, per lb	.12
Ham, per lb	.38 to .33

FISH

Saddles, per lb	.10
Fillets, O.S., per lb	.20
Fillets, Jumbo, per lb	.21
Scottish-cured, per lb	.30
Sunries Fillets, per lb	.11
Eastern Kippers	40's, 2.00; 50's 2.70
Finny Chix, box	.30

POULTRY

Fowl, per lb	.20 to .23
Broilers	.44
Chicken, per lb	.27 to .30
Duck, per lb	.34
Turkey, per lb	.26 .37
Geese, per lb	.30

EGGS

B.C. Extras, doz	.38
B.C. Firsts, doz	.30
Pullets, doz	.34
Peewees, doz	.30

DAIRY PRODUCE, ETC.

Butter—	
Cartons	.46
2-3-lb blocks	.45
No. 2 prints	.42
Finest solids	.40
No. 2 solids	.42½
Lard, tierce, per lb	.19½
Lard, other kinds	.17 .19
Shortening, tierce, lb	.14½
Shortening, other kinds, lb	.15¾ .17
Cheese	.23
Cheese, twins, per lb	.24½
Cheese, triplets, per lb	.24
Cheese, Stilton, per lb	.31
Cheese, solid milk, per lb	.30
Edam Dutch Cheese, per lb	.30
Gouda Cheese, per lb	.40
Gouda Cheese, per lb	.30
Gorgonzola, per lb	.55
Swiss Gruyere, in portions, box	.30
English Stilton, per lb	.55
Imported Roquefort, per lb	.80
Eagle Brand Camembert, box	.30
Circle Brand Breakfast Cheese	.40
Brell, per lb	.37
Golden Loaf	.30

FRUIT

Apples—	
O.K. McIntosh Reds	2.10
Wageners, open boxes	1.40 2.20
Newtowns	1.90 3.00
Spitzenberg	1.60 2.50
Delicious	1.90 3.10
Gano Beauty Apples	1.90 1.60 2.10
Okanagan Apples, box	1.90
Orcas Island Pears	3.00
Bananas, per lb	.12
Lemons, California, per case	6.75 7.75
Coconuts, per doz	1.00
Navel Oranges, per case	2.75 7.00
California Grapefruit	3.20 2.70
Florida Grapefruit	2.50 7.00
Emperor Grapes, per box	3.75
Pome Peanuts	1.90 3.12

VEGETABLES

Beets	2.25
Carrots, sack	2.00
Cabbage	.00¾ .07½
Sweet Potatoes	.00
Parsnips, sack	2.75
Cauliflower, doz	2.50 2.00
Celery, imported, crate	7.00
California Lettuce, crate	5.25
Potatoes, Gem, sack	2.10
Potatoes, Ashcroft Gem, sack	2.10
Potatoes, Up-to-Date, sack	1.45
Potatoes, Highland Gem, sack	1.90
Turnips, sack	2.75
Green Onions, doz	.40
Kamloops Onions, sack	3.20
Pumpkin, per lb	.04
Citrons, per lb	.06
Hubbard Squash, per lb	.04
Hothouse Tomatoes, No. 1	6.50
Hothouse Tomatoes, No. 2	4.25

NUTS

Almonds, per lb	.30
Manchurian walnuts, per lb	.14
California walnuts, per lb	.30 .30
Chestnuts, per lb	.10 .17
Popping corn, per lb	.10

FLOUR

Purity	2.00
Five Roses	3.50
Maple Leaf	3.00
Royal Standard	2.50
B. & S. Pastry	3.25
Whole Wheat	3.05
Quaker Flour	2.50
Robin Hood	2.90

Arizona Grapefruit, 3 for	.25
Smyrna Figs, lb	.25, .30 and .40
Fard Dates, lb	.20

Retail Prices

(Revised February 12, 1929)

DAIRY PRODUCE

Butter—	
Best Alberta, cartons	.50
Comox, lb	.50
Cowichan Creamery, per lb	.50
Salt Spring Island, lb	.50
Handipats, lb	.50
Our Own Brand, lb	.50
New Zealand Creamery, lb	.50
Alberta, bulk, lb, .48, or 3 lbs	1.40
Eggs—	
B.C. fresh, extras	.50
B.C. fresh, firsts	.40
Pullets, extras	.40
Cheese—	
B.C. Cream Cheese, lb	.40
B.C. Solids, lb	.35
Finest Ontario, mild, per lb	.35
Finest Ontario, matured, lb	.45
Edam Dutch Cheese, lb	.40
Gouda Cheese, per lb	.40
Gorgonzola, per lb	.50
Swiss Gruyere, in portions, box	.30
English Stilton, lb	.90
Imported Roquefort, lb	.80
Eagle Brand Camembert, box	.40
Circle Brand Breakfast Cheese	.30
Brell, lb	.50
Golden Loaf	.30
B.A. Loaf	.30

MEATS

Pork—	
Trimmed Loins, per lb	.40
Shoulder Roasts, per lb	.30
Legs, per lb	.35
Pork Sausages, per lb	.30
No. 1 Beef—	
Sirloin Steaks, per lb	.40 to .43
Round Steaks, per lb	.35 to .38
Pot Roasts, per lb	.30 to .38
Rump Roasts, per lb	.38
Veal—	
Shoulders, per lb	.34
Legs, lb	.35
Rumps, lb	.35
Spring Lamb—	
Shoulders, per lb	.30
Legs, per lb	.50
Rabbits, local, per lb	.30
Ham, lb	.35 to .45
Bacon, lb	.40 to .60

POULTRY

Heavy Fowl, lb	.35
Light Fowl, lb	.30
Chicken, lb	.40

FISH

Fresh Cod, lb	.25
Halibut, per lb	.30
Fresh Shrimps, per lb	.35
Eastern Finnan Haddie, lb	.18 and .30
Local Kippers	.12
Local Cured Black Cod	.30
Large Eastern Kippers	.10
Red Spring Salmon, lb	.00

VEGETABLES

Local Potatoes, 8 lbs. for	.25
Potatoes, local, sack	2.00
Ashcroft Potatoes	2.25
Celery, stick	.12
Cabbage, each	.15 and .20
Carrots, 2 for	.10
Cauliflower, each	.30
Onions, lb	.05
Lettuce, head	.10
Cucumbers	.30 and .35
Green Peppers, lb	.15
Local Hothouse-Grown Tomatoes, lb	.30
Local Head Lettuce, each	.10
Egg Plant, lb	.25
Vegetable Marrow, lb	.00
Spinach, 2 lbs	.25
Pumpkin, lb	.05
Sprouts, 2 lbs	.25
Mushrooms, lb	.40

NUTS

Walnuts, per lb	.25 to .60
Pecans	.40
Mixed	.35 and .40
California Soft Shell Walnuts, lb	.40
Roasted Peanuts, per lb	.16
New Almond Nuts, lb	.30
Soft Shell Almonds	.30
New Chestnuts, Japan, lb	.30

FRUITS

Pomegranates, each	.10
Bananas, doz	.40
Cranberries, lb	.35
Lemons, Cal., doz	.25, .30, .35
Valencia Oranges, doz	.25 to .60
Navel Oranges, doz	.30 to .75
Jonathan, extra fancy	2.60
Fancy	2.40
"C" grade	2.00
McIntosh Reds, 8 lbs. .25; box	2.50
Dates, 2 lbs	.25
New California Figs, pkt., .10, .15 to	.25
New California Layer Figs, lb	.30
Spanish Cluster Raisins, box	.30
New Fard Dates, lb	.30
California Cluster Raisins, box and	.35
Cocoanuts, each	.15 and .20
Pineapple	.40, .50 and .60
Honeydew Melons, each	.50
California Prunes, lb	.10
New Local Apples, 8 lbs	.25
Apples, Delicious Apples, lb	.25
Box	3.50
Newtown Pippins, 8 lbs .25, box	3.00
Northern Spy, 3 lbs .25, box	2.75
Spitzenberg, 5 lbs .25, box	3.25
Tokay Grapes, lb	.15
Red Emperor Grapes, lb	.20

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, Feb. 26.—Eggs and butter stronger; cheese, dull.

Cheese—Westerns, 17½c to 19c.

Butter—No. 1 Pasteurized, 42½c.

Eggs—Storage extras, 43c, firsts, 40c; seconds, ..., fresh extras, 54c to 55c; firsts, 52c to 53c.

Street seller to the Clerkenwell magistrate: "As one gentleman to another, I promise you that it shall not occur again."

Frank Patrick Offers to Buy Boston Bruins

BOSTON, Feb. 26.—Charles F. Adams, owner of the Boston Bruins of the National Hockey League, announced today that he was considering an offer to sell the club to Frank Patrick, of Vancouver. Adams said that Patrick had offered to make a substantial deposit for a sixty-day option on the Bruins. Adams said that he might be induced to sell because his hockey interests, formerly a pastime, had developed to a point where they required more time than he could give to them without sacrificing attention to his other business interests.

Frank, brother of Lester Patrick, manager of the New York Rangers, offered to purchase the Bruins outright or take the club over on a part ownership basis. It was understood that this second proposition attracted Adams the most. The Bruins' present owner said he would be willing to remain identified with the hockey in Boston if Patrick could arrange to take over the management of the Bruins.

"Some such change is required," Adams said, "because under present conditions I cannot spare the time to the management of the Bruins that it requires. It costs $250,000 to carry a National Hockey League team nowadays, and it has grown to be such a big business that it demands more time than I can give it."

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Feb. 26.—All Jamaica beat J. Cahn's team of English cricketers, now touring the West Indies, by seven wickets today. Scores: Cahn 217 and 336, Jamaica 503 and 51 for three wickets.

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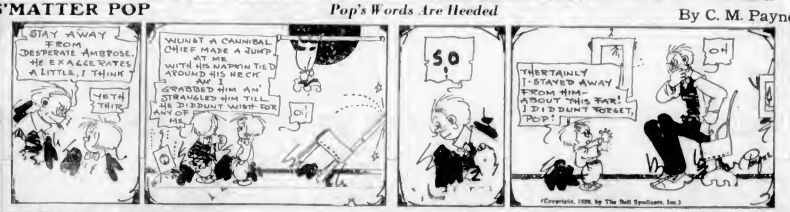

BOBBY THATCHER

Bobby's Decision

By George Storm

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EMBARRASSING MOMENTS

JUST LIKE A WOMAN

"Oh, darling," he murmured, "I love you so. Please say you'll be mine. I'm not rich like Percival Brown. I haven't a car, or a fine house, or a well-stocked cellar; but, darling, I love you, and I cannot live without you!"

Two soft arms stole around his neck as she whispered in his ear: "And I love you, too, darling, but —who is this man Brown?"

COLONIST DAILY COMIC FEATURE

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MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

Alloway's Men Reach Home After Adventure

Eighteen Local Members of Ill-Fated Freighter Have Many Experiences—Leave Doomed Ship to Own Ends on Rocks After Salvage Fails

After many experiences off the barren Aleutian Islands which they will probably never forget, eighteen members of the crew of the ill-fated freighter Alloway arrived home yesterday from Seattle, where they were conveyed from Dutch Harbor by the coastguard cutter Chelan.

The Alloway had a long and interesting career from the time she left Seattle for Yokohama and Genoa on December 25 to the time that she was finally abandoned in Unimak Pass on February 13.

Purchased by the U. P. Cox Corporation of Seattle from the United States Shipping Board, the Alloway was taken from Lake Union, where she had lain for several years, and loaded with 4,300,000 feet of lumber at Tacoma, Everett and Seattle. She left Puget Sound on Christmas Day for Japan, where it was the intention to unload her deck lumber as scrapped.

Heat and long years of exposure to the penetrating sea air had taken their toll on the vessel's engines, for on December 27 the boilers started to give trouble. Water tubes could not stand the strain of the pulsing steam and one by one blew out.

On New Year's Day the boiler fell

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by running from one end of the ship to the other in spite of the motion.

Captain Throckmorton pursued Posey with a gun, firing a shot in an attempt to persuade him, but without avail, for the giler could not be caught, and he was in constant danger the lives of the others, the captain ordered them into the boat to row for the Montauk and safety. The Montauk then steamed for Dutch Harbor.

Arriving at the side of the Alloway on February 14, the coastguard cutter Chelan put men aboard in an attempt to get steam and navigation lights on the ship. Posey, however, were not successful as salt water had given rise to a terrible condenser and crippled the boilers.

Posey was found to be well and of sound mind when taken aboard a mental examination. He told officers that he had hoped to have had a dream that sharks would get him if he trusted himself to the mercy of the sea in a small boat. He had felt that safety was on the Alloway. He also said that he was thinking of the other money he could claim if he could prevent the Alloway from coming on the rocks of Unimak Pass.

Posey was persuaded to leave the Alloway for the Chelan. The sea was too rough to transfer him, but he was got aboard the freighter and an armed guard placed over him until the Dutch Harbor. On February 19 the hawser parted and the Alloway drifted off in a heavy fog.

For thirty-six hours the Chelan searched for the Alloway, finally finding her on February 18 wrecked on the rocks of Unimak Pass, at the entrance of Unimak Pass. The boilers of the vessel were awash, the entire hull was full of water and the Alloway was wrecked under a fog. It was the end of the eventful cruise. The Chelan turned about for Dutch Harbor to pick up the remaining crew left under a fog by the Montauk. Arriving there, she left for Seattle on February 21.

FUEL SHORTAGE WRECKS VESSEL

REASON GIVEN FOR DISASTER TO CRUISER IMPERATOR OFF VANCOUVER

Boat Is to be Rebuilt With Heavier Planking and Copper Sheathing Over the Hull

VANCOUVER, Feb. 26.—A shortage of gasoline is thought responsible for the wrecking of the cruiser Imperator (built Imperator) which is adrift off Sheringham Point.

The launch is badly damaged. The cruiser, although it is thought the bottom of the hull stove in from the pounding of the breakers. The Vancouver Dredging & Salvage crew have left for the scene in a tugboat and tomorrow and today is engaged in putting on temporary patches. It is expected the Imperator will be floated on this evening tide and taken to the company's plant at North Vancouver.

Tenders are to be called immediately for repairs, and it is understood the hull will be built more heavily than formerly, on the rim is half-inch cedar with a copper sheathing a foot wide at the water line. It is proposed to call for a copper bottom over hardwood or one-inch fir planking.

Shipping Information

SUNRISE AND SUNSET PERIODS

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C. for the month of February, 1929

Date	Sun. Rise	Sun. Set	Date	Sun. Rise	Sun. Set
1	7.29	5.11	15	7.07	5.32
2	7.28	5.12	16	7.05	5.34
3	7.26	5.13	17	7.04	5.35
4	7.25	5.14	18	7.02	5.37
5	7.23	5.16	19	7.00	5.38
6	7.22	5.17	20	6.58	5.40
7	7.20	5.18	21	6.57	5.41
8	7.18	5.20	22	6.55	5.43
9	7.17	5.21	23	6.53	5.44
10	7.15	5.23	24	6.51	5.46
11	7.13	5.24	25	6.49	5.47
12	7.12	5.25	26	6.47	5.49
13	7.10	5.27	27	6.45	5.50
14	7.08	5.29	28	6.43	5.52

MOONRISE AND MOONSET PERIODS

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C. for the month of February, 1929

Date	Moon Rise	Moon Set	Date	Moon Rise	Moon Set
1	6.14 p.m.	6.19 a.m.	16	6.19 p.m.	6.19 a.m.
2	6.15 p.m.	6.18 a.m.	17	6.20 p.m.	6.18 a.m.
3	6.16 p.m.	6.17 a.m.	18	6.21 p.m.	6.17 a.m.
4	6.17 p.m.	6.16 a.m.	19	6.22 p.m.	6.16 a.m.
5	6.18 p.m.	6.15 a.m.	20	6.23 p.m.	6.15 a.m.

NOTE—Moon rises are counted on within one or two minutes.

TIDES AT VICTORIA FEBRUARY

Date Time H.W. Ht. Time L.W. Ht. Time H.W. Ht. Time L.W. Ht.

Date	Time H.W.	Ht.	Time L.W.	Ht.	Time H.W.	Ht.	Time L.W.	Ht.
26	6.18	8.1	1.16	4.8	6.48	8.1	1.22	4.2
27	6.48	8.2	1.48	4.6	7.18	8.0	1.53	4.0
28	7.18	8.3	2.19	4.3	7.47	7.8	2.23	3.8
29	7.47	8.3	2.50	4.0	8.17	7.6	2.53	3.6
30	8.17	8.2	3.21	3.7	8.46	7.4	3.24	3.4
31	8.46	8.1	3.52	3.4	9.16	7.2	3.55	3.2

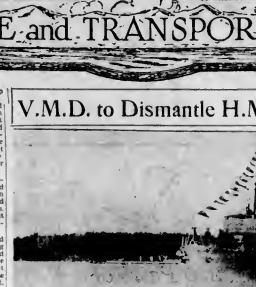
The time used is Pacific Standard time for 120th meridian west. The heights are reckoned from 4 to 10 hours from midnight to midnight. The tide rises and falls about half the time between high and low water. When Rocky Bay is in the tables, add 10 minutes to Gulf Islands and 20 minutes for Sooke and Port Renfrew.

To be based on the first and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of the lowest tide.

The first the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt Graving Dock at spring tide, and the second the height of the tide above the sill.

The first the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt Graving Dock at neap tide, and the second the height of the tide above the sill.

V.M.D. to Dismantle H.M.C.S. Patrician



DESTINED to be scrapped to the order of Nelder & Marcus, Seattle shipbreakers, H.M.C.S. Patrician will be towed to the Victoria Machinery Depot this morning from Esquimalt. At the plant the engines and boilers of the destroyer will be removed after the deck is cut through with oxy-acetylene torches. The Patrician has oil-fired boilers and a turbine developing 27,000 horsepower. Built by Thornycroft in 1916, she is of 1,094 registered tons, 271 feet long, with a beam of 27.5 feet and depth of 11.5 feet and has been stationed here since October 1, 1926.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

Vessel Movements

SEATTLE, Feb. 26—Arrived: Shiloh, Giymont, Schwabacher, Takiyama, Tacoma, General Evans, San Francisco, La Perouse, Gleum, Sailed, Harry Luckenbach, Ancon, Schwabacher, Takiyama, Tacoma, Diamond Knot, Alameda, Alaska Packer, Miller, Los Angeles, James Griffiths, Cornelius Lundquist Schubert, Tacoma.

TACOMA, Feb 26—Arrived: Makiki, Honolulu Maru, New York, Dorothy Wightemann, San Pedro, Schwabacher, Seattle, Sailed: Ancon, Tacoma, Diamond Knot, Alameda, Seattle, Los Angeles, Schwabacher, Oliphant, San Pedro.

PORTLAND, Feb 26—Arrived: Tokyo Maru, Hongkong, Aneria Lykes, Los Angeles, Sailed: Ancon, Los Angeles, Tacoma, San Francisco, Portland, Oregon Maru, British Columbia, Admiral Peoples, Ruth Dollar, Seattle.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb 26—Arrived: Diamond Knot, Seattle, Sailed: Ancon, Los Angeles, Seattle, Tacoma, San Pedro, Cosmos, Antonia, Tokyo Maru, Yokohama Maru, Antonia, Seattle, Humboldt, San Pedro, Rosario, Ticonderoga, Vancouver, Seattle, Los Angeles, Schwabacher, Willamette, C. D. Johnson, Admiral Behrens, Diamond Knot, Schwabacher.

ARRIVED

SHANGHAI, Feb 25—President Taft, Seattle.

YOKOHAMA, Feb 25—Belfast Maru, Seattle.

ANTWERP, Feb 25—Harmon, San Francisco.

HULL, Feb 24—Kasala Nelson, Portland.

HONG KONG, Feb 24—Tredavoe, Seattle.

LONDON, Feb 24—Radnorshire, Vancouver.

YOKOHAMA, Feb 25—Indian, Victoria.

HONG KONG, Feb 24—Ceylon Maru, Portland.

MANILA, Feb 24—Washington, Portland, Dollar Tela, St. Francisco.

SAILED

NAGASAKI, Feb 24—Barlum, Portland.

YOKOHAMA, Feb 25—Tacoma Maru, Moshen Maru, Seattle.

KOBE, Feb 24—Bowman Maru, Los Angeles, Seattle, Portland, Vancouver.

HONGKONG, Feb 25—Chen of Good Hope, Antonia.

HONG KONG, Feb 25—Iowa, San Francisco.

WEATHER REPORT

BITEVAR—Part cloudy, fresh, northeast 20 miles offshore.

SACHEMA—Cloudy, northwest, 16 miles.

CARMANAH—Cloudy, west, 32, moderate.

CAPE BEALE—Part cloudy, variable, 8 miles, moderate swell.

PACHENA—Cloudy, northwest, 20 miles, 30.06 ht. swell.

WIRELESS REPORT

(Eastern 6 p.m. unless otherwise stated)

PRINCESS MAQUINNA—Leaving Bonella, southbound, 8 30 p.m.

SAICHAND—Yokohama for London, 1 p.m. Feb. 26, 1 p.m. Feb. 26.

MARGOT MARS—Northeast Bonella, 100 miles south of Estevan.

CANADIAN MINER—Vancouver for Portland, 600 miles of Heceta.

CANADIAN MARINER—Leaving Long Beach, 300 miles off Cape Beale.

CANADIAN MARQUIS—Vancouver for Portland, 600 miles of Heceta.

CANADIAN IMPORTER—Vancouver for Portland, 600 miles of Heceta.

CANADIAN EXPORTER—Bonella, 100 miles southwest of Estevan.

CAPE VERDE—Bound Vancouver, 60 miles south of Estevan.

CANADIAN OPERATOR—Bonella, 100 miles south of Estevan.

CANADIAN MINER—Vancouver, 60 miles west of Tacoma.

CANADIAN MARQUIS—Tacoma for Vancouver, 100 miles south of Tacoma.

C.N.S. MOVEMENTS

CANADIAN IMPORTER—Due from Bremerton, February 27.

CANADIAN MILLER—Left Port Alberni for Sydney, February 25.

CANADIAN SENGHUN—Due from Yokohama, March 1.

CANADIAN EXPORTER—Left Port Alberni April 17.

CANADIAN COASTER—Due from San Francisco, February 27.

CANADIAN MARINER—At Vancouver.

CANADIAN OBSERVER—Due from San Francisco, March 4.

CANADIAN SCOTIA—At Vancouver.

SHIPPING CALENDAR TO ARRIVE

PRESIDENT LINCOLN—From Orient, February 28.

ALASKAN MARU—From Orient, February 28.

YOKOHAMA—From Antipodes, March 1.

EMPRESS OF CHINA—From Orient, March 2.

PACIFIC GROYS—From England, March 2.

PACIFIC RELIANCE—From Dunsmuir, March 2.

ANZIONS MARU—From Orient, March 6.

PRESIDENT JEFFERSON—From Orient, March 6.

CITY MARO—From Orient, March 6.

EMPRESS OF ASIA—From Orient, March 8.

PRESIDENT MCKINLEY—From Orient, March 13.

NIAGARA—From Antipodes, April 26.

EMPRESS OF FRANCE—From Orient, April 27.

PACIFIC PIONEER—From England, April 28.

TO DEPART

ARABIA MARU—For Orient, February 27.

PRESIDENT LINCOLN—For Orient, March 1.

EMPRESS OF FRANCE—For Orient, March 5.

NIAGARA—For Antipodes, March 4.

TALTYBIUM—For Orient, March 12.

ALASKAN MARU—For Orient, March 13.

PRESIDENT MADISON—For Orient, March 13.

MONTNAIRL—For Orient, March 28.

EMPRESS OF CHINA—For Orient, March 29.

LEIGH—For Orient, April 4.

PACIFIC PIONEER—For Orient, April 4.

ANTONIA—For Orient, April 4.

PRESIDENT JACKSON—For Orient, April 10.

ARIZONA MARU—For Orient, April 4.

EMPRESS OF ASIA—For Orient, April 16.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS

FEBRUARY

CHINA AND JAPAN

PRESIDENT TAFT—Mails close February 27, 10 a.m. Due at Victoria, March 12. Sailed from Orient, February 26. Seattle, March 14.

EMPRESS OF ASIA—Mails close February 28, 4 p.m. Due at Victoria, February 19. Shanghai, March 4. Hong Kong, March 7.

*PRESIDENT JEFFERSON—Mails close February 28, 4 p.m. Due at Victoria, March 6. Shanghai, March 20. Hong Kong, March 23.

*ARABIA MARU—Mails close February 28, 4 p.m. Due at Victoria, March 13.

EMPRESS OF FRANCE—Mails close March 5, 10 a.m. Due at Victoria, March 21. Shanghai, March 20. Hong Kong, March 23.

*Mails for Japan only.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

AORANGI—Mails close February 5, 6 p.m. Due at Victoria, February 20. Sailed, February 22.

TAHITI—Mails close February 15, 6 p.m. Due at Victoria, March 1.

TAHITIAN—Mails close February 18, 4 p.m. Due at Victoria, March 11.

MARAMA—Mails close March 4, 6 p.m. Due at Victoria, March 20. Sailed, March 22.

*Mails, via San Francisco, for New Zealand only.

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The Crooks' Game

By GEORGE DILNOT

CHAPTER IV (Continued)

"Tired, eh?" The ubiquitous Weir Menzies, who was once reputed to have gone without sleep for four days and nights, was at his side, and there was a tinge of irony in his tone. "None of us can lie down on a job like this if we want to keep our scalps. Here's something to wake you up. A lady's asked to see the Chief, and she's been passed on to me. Want to see her?"

"Miss Millard. Someone will have been to see her for identification."

"That's the lady. We'd better have a talk with her in my room. It's quieter there."

Shirley was ushered in to them. She was very calm, very pale, and looked straight through Strickland as though she had never seen him in her life before. Menzies placed a seat for where the light would fall upon her face.

"You asked to see the head of the Criminal Investigation Department," he said. "I am not the Chief, but I am Superintendent Menzies. This is Inspector Strickland, whom I believe you have seen before. We are in charge of the business which you have probably come about."

"The murder of my father." She permitted herself a wan smile of acknowledgement of Strickland.

"Yes."

"They have told me about it. They want me to make sure it is he. But I know it is. He never came back last night."

There was a feminine lack of logic about her conclusion which, at another time, might have aroused a smile. But no one of the three was in smiling mood.

"Why should you be certain?" asked Strickland gravely. "There may be a mistake, although I fear that is unlikely. But mistakes have happened. It is possible that it may be someone who resembles your father. You are the only one who can set all doubt at rest."

"I will do so, of course," she said wearily. "But it is only a formality. I know that it is my father."

Menzies tugged at his moustache. "Are we to understand that you anticipated some calamity of this sort? There is someone who bore ill-will against Mr. Sh—Mr. Millard? Someone you suspect?"

"No. I am stunned. I cannot grasp it yet. I don't believe that he knew anyone in London—least of all anyone who would wish him harm. I have come here to find out what you are doing—what you have done."

When one has had a lifetime of experience in dealing with all manner of people, there is acquired a sort of sixth sense, an almost intuitive perception to which an adequate name cannot be put. Strickland caught Menzies' eye. But the Superintendent had an agility of observation and of mind that needed little prompting. This girl had some reason that drew her to Scotland Yard which she had as yet neither expressed nor hinted at. What it was he could not guess. But he knew that if her confidence were to be fully gained it would be more difficult with two men in the room than with one. He had his share of curiosity—but after all this investigation had been put onto Strickland. With a muttered apology he rose and left the room.

"We've scarcely had time to turn round yet," murmured Strickland. "We're hoping to pick up some clue. Perhaps you can help us."

"A clue." She allowed her contempt to become obvious. "The police always talk about clues."

He smiled. "That's true. It's our trade, you see. May I ask you some questions?" He did not wait for a reply, but taking her assent for granted went on: "What can you tell me about your father?"

"Not much that will help, I am afraid. He had just retired from business in Denver. We were over here on a vacation trip."

Strickland sat a little more stiffly in his chair, and his brows drew closer together. He had given her an opportunity to speak frankly what she knew. It was odd that she had not availed herself of it. Surely a girl with her seeming intelligence could not imagine that the antecedents of Buck Shang could be kept in the background. She must realize that any attempt to keep things dark would be futile.

"Did you ever hear your father speak of a man called Stern, or of the Cat, or of Moses?" he asked smoothly. He was watching narrowly for any change of expression, any hint that he had penetrated her guard, if she really was on her guard.

It may have been a mere accident, but the girl half averted her face while she deliberately patted a stray wisp of hair back into its place. Then she met his gaze unemotionally. "I may have," she said, steadily.

He shifted swiftly to another point. "Who is there who will get any benefit from your father's death?"

She shook her head. "No one but myself. So far as I know, I am his only relative."

"He was rich?"

"Some millions of dollars, I believe," she returned indifferently. "Say about a million and a half pounds in British money."

"You inherit it all."

"As far as I know."

His fingers played a fierce tattoo on Menzies' desk, and a pause ensued. In a little he rose and stood over her. There is a subtle advantage in looking down upon the person one is questioning, as he had discovered many years before.

"This is not the only murder that has happened during the last twenty-four hours," he said. "You wouldn't know, of course, that the Cat—Stern—was killed almost within a stone's throw of this place."

"I am interested only in discovering who killed my father," she said. He remarked her self-possession with admiration.

"You didn't know that the Cat had an acquaintance with your father?"

"No."

He wondered how far she would go. "Nor,"—he drawled the question slowly—"that your father tried to kill him not twelve hours ago?"

This time he had aroused her. She sprang angrily to her feet. "That is a lie!" she declared.

"Please don't get excited, Miss Millard," he said mildly. "Sit down. Sit down, I tell you." He raised his voice in peremptory command. She hesitated, and then with a gesture of disdain resumed her seat.

"Now what's your game, I wonder," he said, almost as if talking to himself. "Why have you come here with a tissue of lies and evasions to dodge straight questions? For a woman of some common sense you are the most clumsy liar that I ever heard. Suppose we get a little at the truth."

Her face whitened. Her hands gripped tightly on the arms of the chair, but she turned a scornful glance on him. "Is it the habit of London police to be offensive? Why should I come here if I wanted to lie, Mr. Strickland?"

"I don't know," he confessed. "But I propose to find out. I don't know a lot of things. For instance, I can't say why you look a risk at the Regal Hotel when you held my colleague and myself off at the point of a revolver. You may as well know that last night I had a long conversation with your father—I must have been one of the last persons to see him alive. He told me his story, as I believe, frankly and without reserve. When you said that you didn't know the Cat, you lied. It is impossible that you should not know what your father has been. Yet you come here and try to persuade me that he was a respectable business man of an American city. There's something you have to explain, my dear lady. What am I to make of it?"

"He told you that he had been a crook—that had been in gaol?"

The detective nodded.

She spread her hands hopelessly. "Can't you realize why I should wish nothing of this to be known? He had suffered enough. Now that he is dead, why should all the muck-raking be gone through again in your British press? What good would it do?"

Somehow neither her words nor her tone carried conviction to the man. He made a gesture of incredulity.

"That's not your real reason, Miss Millard. There's something more."

"You needn't believe me," she flared in sudden passion. "I have been sneered at and flouted and insulted by the people I have known all my life. Me! A crook's daughter—a daughter of the underworld. Do you think that I want to go through all that again? Do you think that he would wish me to? I tell you, Mr. Detective, I would sooner shoot myself." She buried her face in her hands and broke into a passion of sobs.

(To be Continued)

English Lad Makes Long Voyage Alone

When eleven-year-old Alfred Green, of London, England, reaches Southampton he will have completed a journey of over 11,000 miles. Master Green, who says he prefers traveling to going to school, has been with his aunt in Calgary for two and a half years. He is returning alone to England on the Canadian Pacific steamship [illegible] which sailed from Saint John February 21.

YOUTH ADMITS STEALING GAS

Carl Hamilton Remanded Until Today for Sentence—Assault Case Set for Friday

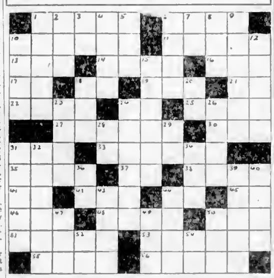
Carl Hamilton pleaded guilty before Magistrate George Jay in the city police court yesterday to a charge of stealing a quantity of gasoline from Mr. W. D. Todd's motor car, and was remanded until this morning for sentence. The accused was taken into custody by Detectives Jack Rogers and Walter Calwell. Mr. Claude L. Harrison, city prosecutor, advised the court that Hamilton was sentenced on April 10, 1928, to one year's imprisonment for the theft of an automobile.

Henry Butcher, who was arrested by Detectives Marcus Phipps and William Stark, was charged with assaulting his wife, Amy Butcher, on February 25. Mr. Richard C. Lowe, counsel for the accused, asked for a remand of the case, and the commencement of the hearing was set for Friday morning next. Bail was fixed at $100, in two sureties. The defence reserved plea.

Frank O. Morris and Herman B. Nielson were each fined $5 and $2.50 costs for operating a radio without the required licence. They both pleaded guilty to the charge preferred against them. Mr. H. H. Shandley appeared for the prosecution.

According to statistics, one in every five persons in our population knows how to drive a motor car. The other four just drive them, we suppose.

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

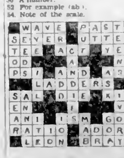


ACROSS

1. Fowl.
6. Tramp.
10. Gets up.
11. Shackles.
13. Chum.
14. Poisonous snake (plural).
16. Indian memorial post.
17. Man's nickname.
18. Arabian definite article.
19. Siamese coin.
21. Proceed.
22. Stitched.
24. Postscript (ab.).
25. One in debt.
27. Inactive.
30. Exist.
31. Wickedness.
33. Hard.
35. Indian water jar.
37. Like.
38. Employs.
41. Indefinite article.
42. Floor covering.
43. King of Bashan.
45. Ourselves.
46. By way of.
48. Jot.
50. Nodule of earth.
51. Agog.
53. Says.
55. Annoys.
56. Flattens.

DOWN

1. Class.
2. Lubricate.
3. A bone.
4. Close.
5. Letter S.
6. Listen!
7. Conjunction.
8. Chest.
9. Wild ass.
10. Monkey.
12. Emporium.
15. Goes by.
18. Insect.
20. Toward.
23. Custom.
24. Underground plant.
26. Paths.
28. Exists.
29. Engineering degree (ab.)
31. Serf.
32. Pertaining to a district in Asia Minor.
34. Fastening.
36. Morning (ab.)
39. Water pitchers.
40. Observes.
43. Melodies.
44. Vow.
47. Mohammedan dignitary.
49. Egyptian king.
50. A number.
52. For example (ab.).
54. Note of the scale.



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Corselettes of rayon-striped cotton, with a wide inside abdominal band of strong elastic and coutil; hooked on the side. This corselette, especially designed for the short, full figure, is shown with wide sections of elastic in the hips.

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White or grey, slightly imperfect. Three-quarter, double bed and extra large sizes. Priced according to size, a pair

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—Draperies, 2nd Floor

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